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THIRD PARTY IS REFUSED FAVOR

Commissioner on Pacific Great Eastern Inquiry Will Not Permit Evidence By Affidavit

CHIEF ENGINEER WILL CONTINUE NEXT WEEK

Long, Drawn-Out Investigation May End Next Week—Sir Charles Tupper Pays Respects to American Citizen

THE refusal of Mr. Justice Gallihier to admit as evidence for the Provincial Party the sworn declaration of Mrs. Sarah Bell, of Manitoba, widow of Thomas Bell, formerly sub-contractor to the Northern Construction Company, gave rise to the only incident of yesterday's session of the Pacific Great Eastern inquiry which was not the repetition of a tale many times told.

Mr. A. H. MacNeill, K. C., counsel for the Provincial Party, said that the declaration, if true, would throw a strong light upon the question, which was vital to the establishment of the truth, of the real relations between the Northern Construction Company and its subcontractors. Counsel added that the commissioner was a long way from getting to the bottom of the transactions.

Mr. S. S. Taylor, K. C., senior counsel for the government, was supported in his objection that the declaration was hearsay and that the affiant could not be cross-examined by the commissioner, who suggested that an effort be made to bring the affiant to the Coast to give evidence in person. The judge added that his commission gave him no authority to compel the attendance of a witness from beyond the boundaries of the Province.

Chief Engineer Testifies

The witness stand throughout the day was occupied by Mr. A. F. Proctor, formerly chief railway engineer of the government, who testified that the construction accounts were properly kept and that an efficient supervision of work done and material used was maintained on the railway. Mr. Proctor denied favoring any concern in his purchase of supplies.

Cross-examination of the witness will be continued next Monday, when it is probable that Mr. Proctor will undergo a severe inquisition from

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LADYSMITH JUDGE HAS DISAPPEARED

MAGISTRATE JOHN STEWART MISSING FOR SIXTEEN DAYS

Last Seen in Vancouver Whence He Telephoned Wife of Impending Return Home

LADYSMITH, March 21.—Police are looking for John Stewart, Ladysmith police magistrate and court registrar, who was last seen in Vancouver, March 5. On that date he telephoned his wife at Ladysmith that he would be home on the next boat.

His absence has necessitated the closing of the Ladysmith Registry Office, but his books have been examined and found in order.

Mr. Stewart was well known in Vancouver, and on the Island, and has lived in Ladysmith for the past twenty years.

Little alarm was felt during the first few days of his disappearance as the absence of crime and court proceedings in Ladysmith supplied no pressing demand for his services. His absence, in fact, was joked about by residents who said that so law abiding, apparently, were the citizens that the police magistrate had nothing to do. His prolonged silence has now aroused considerable anxiety, however.

FORSEES BOOM IN MINING SECURITIES

Prominent Torontonian Authorized to Invest $60,000,000 in Canadian Mineral Enterprises

TORONTO March 21.—It is stated that J. G. Beattie, prominent financial man, who has returned from Great Britain, where he conferred with capitalists, brought authority from his British associates to spend up to $60,000,000 of English capital in Canadian enterprises, particularly those of the mining country.

Mr. Beattie, who did not deny the rumor today, said there was going to be a great boom in Canadian securities, particularly in Northern Ontario mining securities. He declared this expectation was shared by the shrewdest of English financial men.

Prepare for Miners' Strike On March 31

CALGARY, March 21.—Officials of the United Mine Workers of America received word on Friday from international headquarters at Indianapolis to make all necessary arrangements for the maintenance of way men to take care of the mines when the miners go on strike on March 31, according to a statement made by Robert L. Livett, special international representative, District No. 18.

Important Figure in Oil Case Is Camera Target

MR. WILLIAM G. McADOO
Former Secretary of the United States Treasury, Is Shown Posing Before a Corps of Photographers on the Steps of the Capitol at Washington, D. C., Where He Testified Before the Committee Investigating the Teapot Dome Oil Leases.

FORTY THOUSAND DRIVERS STRIKE

At Midnight All Employees of Surface Lines in London Left Work and Tramways and Busses Ceased to Operate—Men Reported Not to Be Keen on Walkout, but Obeyed the Orders of Their Leaders—Court of Inquiry Opens This Morning

LONDON, March 22.—A strike of the tramway operators and bus men began at midnight. It involves about 40,000 employees.

The inconvenience that this practical paralysis of London's street passenger transport system will cause the public may be judged from the fact that nearly 2,000 tram cars and 4,000 omnibuses, ordinarily carrying 5,000,000 persons daily, will be out of service.

The men, it is declared, did not show any great enthusiasm for the strike, but they unhesitatingly obeyed their leaders' orders. The only hope of a settlement lies in an official court of inquiry into the dispute, which will open this morning with Sir Arthur Colefax, presiding. Fortunately for the public, the underground railway men have to date declined to become involved in the dispute.

An attempt will be made to continue to operate the 250 "pirate" busses owned by the companies outside the combine, but even this limited service is likely to be greatly impeded if not prevented, by the energetic picketing of the strikers.

ECONOMIC NEEDS DELETE TOWER

PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS VOTE OF $600,000 STANDS OVER

Strong Opposition to Proposal Causes Government to Postpone Its Consideration by House

OTTAWA, March 21.—An appropriation of $600,000 in the estimates for completion of the main tower of the Parliament Buildings met with such determined opposition in the House today that the government finally allowed the item to stand over. Opposition to the vote came from Progressives, Conservatives and Labor members. G. A. Brethren, Progressive, East Peterboro, moved that the item be struck out, but withdrew his motion when the government allowed it to stand. A. R. McMaster, Independent Liberal, Brome, suggested that the tower be left unfinished as a constant reminder to the country of the need of economy.

Delay Would Be Costly

Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, pointed out that it would cost more to resume the work hereafter than to finish it now.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, said the present Parliament Buildings had been eight years under construction and might well stand over another four or five years without further work being done upon them.

Robert Forke, Progressive leader, had nothing to find fault with in the present building, but asked for further information as to the relative economy of delay or completion at present.

Memorial to War Dead

Premier King pointed out that the tower was to be a memorial to the war dead, that European countries had sent stone to be incorporated in the tower, and suggested that it was a desirable step to complete as soon as possible the national parliament. Most of the Progressives, except T. G. McBride, opposed the expenditure, and finally G. A. Brethren moved the item of $600,000 be struck out.

General J. A. Clark, Conservative, Burrard, in referring to the Premier's statement that the tower was a memorial to the war dead, declared that it was his view that the returned men in Canada would be quite content to wait a while for the completion of the memorial.

FISTICUFFS ADD TO PERSIANS' ARGUMENTS

Anti-Republicans Swarm Parliament Chamber and Rough House Ensues Until Police Arrive

TEHERAN, March 21.—The question of establishment of a republic in Persia discussion of which has been made the order of business in parliament today led to disorders in and about the parliament house today.

Anti-Republican groups forced their way into the parliament Chamber despite armed resistance of the police, tore down flags and flagstaffs, and then set on advocates of the Republican cause, plying their fists vigorously.

Order was finally restored by police reinforcements.

PARIS, March 21.—Ferdinand Corman, 79, well-known French artist, died today from injuries he sustained when struck by a taxicab.

Lockout In Shipbuilding Trade In Great Britain Deferred for Present

LONDON, March 21.—The threatened national lockout in the shipbuilding industry has been deferred. At a conference in Carlisle today the employers agreed to grant further time to bring pressure on the Southampton workers to resume work.

In the meantime, the employers have offered arbitration by an industrial court, failing mutual settlement.

FORMER PROPRIETOR OF WORLD SUCCUMBS

Mrs. J. C. McLagan Was First White Woman Born in New Westminster—Also Notable as Telegrapher

An exceptionally interesting personality passed away in the death in Vancouver on Thursday of Mrs. J. C. McLagan, widow of the founder of The Vancouver World, now The Evening Sun, and a sister of Mr. Sam Maclure, architect, of this city.

Mrs. McLagan's husband was owner and publisher of The World for several years in its earlier days, and on the death of Mr. McLagan twenty-one years ago she took over the complete management and attended to the publication for a period of five years or more.

Sixty-eight years of age, she was the first white woman born in the city of New Westminster. She had in her native environment very few opportunities for study in any branches of the so-called "higher education," but she more than overcame all the handicaps imposed in this respect through her extraordinary native abilities. At the early age of fourteen she took up telegraphy and so completely mastered the details of the work that when the emergency arose she was able to take the Associated Press dispatches of the Franco-Prussian war at a time when both Vancouver and New Westminster were in their tenderest infancy, the telegraph station being situated on her father's farm. Later she had similar dispatches to handle in connection with some of the rebellions of South and Central America. As she grew older and the towns became larger, she became very active in various women's organizations that sprang up, and was one of the founders of the Victorian Order of Nurses and the Local Council of Women' Vancouver.

When the war broke out her pioneering instinct once again asserted itself, and she went to Europe, accompanied by her daughter, and threw herself into war work of different kinds. It was probably owing to her exhausting efforts in this connection that she returned to Canada with her health gravely impaired, and for the past year it was known that she could not recover, although the end came suddenly. A son who went overseas with the Canadian forces was killed in France.

At the age of twenty, Mrs. McLagan, with her brother, Mr. Sam Maclure, took charge of the telegraph office in Victoria. After she sold her interests in The World Mrs. McLagan went to live in the country.

NEW YORK, March 21.—Barney Bernard, famous comedian and well known as creator of "Abe Potash" in Potash & Perlmutter, died tonight of pneumonia.

VANCOUVER, March 21.—A Swanson, forty, a logger, living at the Lotus Hotel, was found dead in his room this afternoon. It is thought death was from natural causes

Half Hour After Respiration Stops Girl Is Revived

SUNBURY, Pa., March 21.—Revived after her heart and respiration had ceased for half an hour, Mary Marcellie, 20, of Kulpmont, is on a fair way to recovery at the Shamokin state hospital. The girl was undergoing an operation for goitre when she apparently died. Dr. George Rees made an incision in her breast and with his hands massaged her heart. He also applied adrenalin. The heart action resumed feebly at first, but finally grew stronger and breathing was resumed.

TWENTY-FIVE MILL RATE FOR SAANICH

WARD APPROPRIATIONS LARGER THAN LAST YEAR

Small Hopes Held Out For the West Road Paving — Health Centre Criticized

Saanich tax rate for 1924 will be 25 mills, the same as last year, according to estimates passed at last night's meeting of the Council at Royal Oak. Various items received much discussion and reductions were ordered. The meeting, although it did not adjourn until midnight, was unable to complete the total estimates, and the by-law will be passed at the next session. At a 25 mill rate ward appropriations will be slightly larger than those of last year, which were set at $6,750.

Time for the collection of 1924 taxes will revert back to October 10, instead of in August, as was the case last year. The question caused considerable discussion and the presentation and withdrawal of various conflicting resolutions before the decision was taken. Councillors Van treight and Oldfield, who advanced the motion which was passed, pointed out that placing the tax collection date in August worked a distinct hardship against the farmers of the municipality, and while the Council saved approximately $2,000 in interest charges on current operation loan from the bank, the charges were passed on to the farmers, who in a great many instances were forced to borrow money with which to pay taxes, as in August their produce was not marketable.

August Payment Difficult

Reeve Macnicol reaffirmed the stand taken by him at the last election campaign and said that he favored the October date.

Councillor Kirkham, while explaining that he appreciated the difficulty placed on the rural areas by the August collection last year, believed that the first year of a new measure was always the most difficult, and that August collection would not involve a fraction of the hardships borne last year. He pointed out that by putting the date back to October 10, Saanich would lose some $2,000.

Councillor Simpson believed the August collection would work out satisfactorily this year, but, in any event, he favored further consideration and supported the stand of Councillor Kirkham. He and Councillor Robertshaw advanced a motion that the estimated interest

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PROBE HEARS OF HUGE LOAN

Witness Reaches Washington to Tell Committee of $1,600,000 Advanced to Republican Slush Fund

AMAZING STORY TOLD BY EVANGELIST THIEF

Californian Hits Trail for Capitol to Tell of How Late President Harding Was Elected

WASHINGTON, March 21.—As Harry F. Sinclair, through his counsel, was waging an inconclusive but apparently losing battle to keep off the oil committee witness stand today, Will H. Hays came to Washington to be questioned about a story that Sinclair donated a large batch of securities to wipe out the $1,600,000 deficit of the Republican National Committee after the 1920 campaign. The oil investigators will decide the issue with Sinclair tomorrow, and indications tonight were that they would direct the New York oil magnate to take the stand. After he leaves the witness chair, the committee will call Hays, former chairman of the Republican National Committee and the first Postmaster-General in the Harding administration.

Amazing Story of $1,000,000

To the amazing story about the oil stock contributions another has been added by Al Jennings, former train robber but now an evangelist and politician, who has been subpoenaed by the oil committee in connection with the gossip of "oil deals" at the Republican National Convention at Chicago in 1920.

Jennings is quoted as having stated before his departure from California for Washington that he would tell the oil investigators of a $1,000,000 cash payment that "bought" the nomination for President Harding. He is also credited with the statement that the sum came from "oil interests."

$200,000 Whisky Deal

A $200,000 whisky deal—the biggest yet—was uncorked today by the Daugherty Investigating Committee. John Goroni, vice-president of the Alps Drug Company, told a story of how he, the late Jess W. Smith, "bumper and friend" of Attorney-General Daugherty, and Howard H. Mannington, one of the occupants of

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MERCHANTS FIGHT DAYLIGHT SAVING

APPEAR BEFORE PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Suggestion That Stores Close at Five o'Clock Not Favored by Delegation

A deputation of over twenty merchants from the retail section of the Chamber of Commerce waited on the City Council, sitting as the Public Works Committee yesterday afternoon, to urge that daylight saving be not put into operation this year. Opinion was also unanimous that the alternative advanced by Ald. Woodward for the closing of stores at five o'clock was not a good one.

He did not think that the merchants were against the principle of daylight saving, said Mr. H. S. Stevenson, but they did object to Victoria having daylight saving when other cities near by did not.

Warns of Confusion

Mr. P. B. Scurrah also stressed the confusion arising from Victoria's adoption of daylight saving last year, and urged that at this time when merchants were having a difficult time no hampering restrictions should be imposed.

There was general opposition to the proposal of Ald. Woodward that the stores close an hour earlier. There was no use opening any earlier than at present, and the hour between five and six was an important one.

Since the plebiscite was taken on daylight saving here nearby cities had returned to standard time and this altered the situation, contended Ald. Sangster.

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Is Mars Inhabited?

Scientific observation has shown that conditions on the planet are such as to sustain a form of life, perhaps not so very different from the earth's, and the mystery of the Martian canals, so easily descerned by powerful telescopes, is still unsolved. This Summer, Mars reaches a position which makes it most easily studied by astronomers. In Sunday's Colonist, Dr. J. S. Plaskett, director of the Astrophysical Observatory, and Camille Flammarion, noted French scientist, discuss the possibilities of these observations.

Some of the other contributors to Sunday's Colonist are:

ELINOR GLYN, famous English author, who tells why romance is what women need most.

SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS, noted American novelist, who continues the series on ideal house parties.

WALLACE IRWIN, creator of Hashimura Togo.

GRANTLAND RICE, dean of American sporting writers.

ISHBEL MACDONALD, daughter of Premier Ramsay MacDonald.

ALD. A. E. TODD, who, in an article on what Victoria needs, sums up the reasons for his advocacy of a Greater Victoria.

COLD-BLOODED MURDER LAID TO IRISH REBELS

Motor Party in Uniforms of Free State Troops Open Fire With Machine Gun on British Troops on Shore Leave With Wives and Children, and One Soldier Is Killed and Four Wounded

President Cosgrave Wires His Abhorrence at Attack

QUEENSTOWN, March 21.—A big, high-powered motor, containing four men with uniforms of the Free State troops, drove to the pier head today and, without warning, fired a machine gun upon a party of about fifty persons, the majority of whom were British soldiers just landed from a military launch from Spike Island, a convict establishment.

The fire was aimed chiefly at the soldiers, many of whom fell. One of the soldiers was killed outright, four were wounded so severely that they are not expected to recover, and seventeen others received serious injuries. It is not certain whether any civilians were hurt.

Aid Injured Comrades

Those in the group who were able scattered, but the uninjured soldiers started immediately to the assistance of their wounded comrades and carried them back to the launch. This returned to Spike Island.

The motor car started away at a racing speed, firing at the destroyer Scythe, but the shots went wide. Armed parties of Free State troops were sent out in lorries to search for the assassins, who, it is believed, are mutineers of the Free State army, this assumption being based on their shouts of "Up with Tobin," as they drove away.

General Tobin is one of the officers responsible for the present trouble in the army and Free State Government.

One Hundred Shots Fired

DUBLIN, March 21. —General O'Duffy, commander-in-chief of the army, has sent members of his headquarters staff to Queenstown to investigate the attack on British soldiers there today. It is reported here that the assassins fired about one hundred rounds. The whole affair at Queenstown, according to The Dublin Mail—correspondent, lasted only a few minutes.

The attack was sudden and the assailants were speeding away almost before the group attacked knew what had happened.

When they were fired upon, the crew immediately stood to their arms, but the attacking party drove away so quickly there was no exchange of shots. The Scythe tonight is challenging all ships passing her.

President Cosgrave Shocked

President Cosgrave has telegraphed to Premier MacDonald as follows:

"I am shocked to learn that British troops were fired upon in Queenstown harbor this evening. I hasten to assure you that this cowardly crime will arouse the same horror and detestation throughout Ireland as it has caused to myself and my colleagues. Whether the criminals are masquerading in Free State uniforms or otherwise yet remains to be determined. No efforts will be spared to bring them to account. The relatives of the victims and the British nation can rely upon the sympathy and justice of my Government in everything relating to this tragedy."

Spike Island is about a mile south of Queenstown. It is a British naval base under the treaty and is now occupied by Royal Garrison Artillery.

Latest advices from Queenstown say that two women were among the wounded, some of the men on leave being accompanied by their wives and children.

Catholic Prelates To Be Released by Soviet Executive

MOSCOW, March 21.—The Central Executive Committee has decided to release from prison Archbishop Zepliak, head of the Roman Catholic Church in Russia, convicted and once condemned to death for resistance to the Soviet government. Archbishop Zepliak will be banished. The Central Committee will also drop the case against Dr. Tikhon, former Patriarch of all Russia and Metropolitan of Moscow, and the three prelates who were on trial with him.

SIBERIAN RAILWAY MAY MEAN TROUBLE

CONTROL OF LINE CAUSES HITCH IN RUSSO-CHINESE TREATY

France's Claim Advanced Through French Shareholders in Asiatic Bank Scoffed At by Soviet

MOSCOW, March 21.—The Chinese Eastern Railway, the 1,400-mile line connecting China with Siberia and Europe, is the real bone of contention in the interrupted Russo-Chinese negotiations, according to the Russian viewpoint. Control of the road also is being sought by France, America and Japan.

Russian engineers say that the Soviets hold the strategic and economic control of the Chinese Eastern, and should it become necessary they could cut off its most profitable traffic.

Signed But Not Ratified

Preliminary conditions for recognition of the Soviet by China, signed by Dr. Wang, but not ratified by the Chinese Government, provided, according to one Chinese source, for joint control by Russia and China, similar to the original agreement in 1896, with a sort of Russian zone through Manchuria and along the railway in Chinese territory.

The new Commissar of Railways, M. Rudzutuk, declares that the railway was built entirely by Russian capital and that France's pretensions to share in the railway through the Russia-Asiatic Bank, which has considerable stockholders in France, are "as groundless as France's descent on Odessa, and her other interventions."

Peking correspondents for the Russian press insist that despite denials, America, Japan and France intervened to prevent ratification of this agreement.

ASKS IMPRISONMENT FOR PUTSCH LEADERS

Prosecutor Demands Fortress Confinement for General Ludendorff and Fellow Conspirators

MUNICH, March 21.—The trial of General Ludendorff, Adolph Hitler, and their co-defendants, charged with treason, for their part in the "putsch" of last November, neared a conclusion today. Prosecutor Stenglein, addressing the court, demanded eight years' imprisonment for Hitler, two years for General Ludendorff, and from one year to six years for the other defendants.

The prosecutor recommended that the prisoners serve their terms in what is known as "fortress confinement," as usual for political offenders, under which prisoners have a considerable degree of freedom.

Edmonton Asks Probe Into Facilities at Grain Shipping Pacific Ports

EDMONTON, March 21.—That a Royal Commission be appointed to investigate the whole question of grain handling facilities at the Pacific Coast, and that a session of said commission be held in the city of Vancouver at the earliest possible date, is the recommendation embodied in a resolution which the Board of Trade will present to the Dominion Government.

Frost Ruins Peach Crop

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—Eighty per cent of the canning peach crop in California was wiped out last night and today by frost, causing a loss estimated at $6,000,000, the California Canning Peach Growers' Association announced here today.

CHAMBER AGAIN BACKS M. POINCARE

GOVERNMENT'S TAXATION BILL PASSES BY 374 TO 173

Retroactive Feature of Measure Does Not Cool Ardor of Supporters of Reorganization

PARIS, March 21.—Little difficulty was encountered by the Government spokesmen in obtaining passage by the Chamber of Deputies today of the Government's taxation and fiscal reform bill, for the second time.

The Chamber, which voted the bill some time ago, had to give its approval again because of alterations made by the Senate. The final vote on the bill was 374 to 173.

Becomes Law Today

Premier Poincare announced himself as certain the Senate would act favorably and the measures would become law tomorrow night. Premier Poincare, Finance Minister De Lasteyrie and the budget reporter, M. Bokanowski, all argued that the passage by Parliament of the financial measures was responsible for the increased value of the franc the past week, pointing out that the action made it possible for the Bank of France to obtain credits from foreign bankers. Even the announcement by M. De Lasteyrie that the measures would be retroactive respecting the increase of 20 per cent in the income tax and other direct taxes, dating from January 1, failed to cool the ardor of the majority of the House.

STEAMERS IN DISTRESS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—The Norwegian steamer Niels Nielson, which sailed for this port from Yokohama on March 15, broke a propeller blade when 610 miles from Yokohama and is returning for repairs, according to wireless advices received here.

NORFOLK, Va., March 21. — The British steamer Dunculiha is in distress off the coast of Maine, according to a wireless message picked up here tonight.

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Drilling for Oil in Alberta to Continue

CALGARY, March 21.—Expenditures totalling $4,000,000 have been made in Alberta by the Imperial Oils, Ltd., in an effort to locate a lucrative crude oil field, and further drilling will be continued in 1924, according to information given today by F. J. Wolfe, director of marketing for the company, who is here conducting a series of meetings for salesmen and agents of the company from Southern Alberta.

Ontario Publisher Dead

BROCKVILLE, March 21.—Harry E. Bywater, 57, proprietor of The Athens Reporter, a weekly newspaper, is dead. For 30 years he had been connected with the weekly newspaper press of Ontario as publisher of The Westport Mirror, Meaford Monitor, Arthur Enterprise, and Palmerston Spectator.

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Kippered Salmon, ½-lb. tins: 6 for ... 25¢	White Cooking Figs, lb. ... 10¢
Sliced Pineapple, large tins, 15¢	Choice Stewing Prunes, 3 lbs. for ... 25¢

Rogers' Golden Syrup, 5-lb. tins ... 43¢

Fresh-Cut Daffodils, 2 doz. ... 25¢	Unsmoked Picnic Hams, lb., 14¢
Crosse & Blackwell's Vinegar, per gal. ... 75¢	Mild Canadian Cheese, lb., 25¢
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IMPAIRED CAPITAL FORCES LIQUIDATION

AFFAIRS OF NORTHWESTERN LIFE IN BAD CONDITION

Company Was Incorporated in 1914 and Sold Stock Principally in Western Canada

WINNIPEG, March 21.—As announced last night, the Northwestern Life Assurance Company, carrying business to the extent of about $7,000,000, is to go into voluntary liquidation. This decision was reached by the shareholders after a long session last night, and H. J. Symington, K.C., and J. P. Foley, K.C., were appointed to act on their behalf in making the necessary legal arrangements.

Application for the appointment of a receiver will be made almost at once. The company had its head office in Winnipeg, and its present president is D. O. Macdonald. It was incorporated in 1914, and its stock and policies principally are held in Western Canada.

Evidence of Mismanagement

Mr. Symington and Mr. Foley were instructed by the meeting to examine closely a special audit made of the company's books for any evidence of criminal mismanagement, and if such were found, to take appropriate action.

The special audit gave the impairment of capital as $247,000. Mortgage loans were said to be "in a deplorable condition," and 55 per cent of the farm mortgages were in bad shape. Moneys had been loaned, said the report, and the transaction approved afterwards.

TO ORGANIZE AIR FORCE AUXILIARY

HOUSE OF LORDS GIVE SECOND READING TO BILL

Government Comes Under Fire on Apparent Second Position Occupied by Great Britain

LONDON, March 21.—The House of Lords gave second reading last night to the Auxiliary Air Force Bill.

Brigadier-General Lord Thompson, Secretary for Air, said the bill was intended to enable the Air Ministry to start recruiting for thirteen non-regular squadrons, which would form part of an air home defence force. Those who enrolled would be called to serve within the British Isles against active or apprehended attack. Primarily the function of the auxiliary force would be the same as the territorial army.

Government Under Fire

During discussion in the Commons of the air estimates, the Government came under the fire of the protagonists of a strong air force. Sir John Simon complained that the aeroplane force had been reduced to an absolute minimum and added that no government could possibly avoid hearing in mind the air force developments in France.

Sir Samuel Hoare called attention to the necessity of developing aviation in close uniformity with the Dominions.

To Investigate Airships

W. Leach, speaking for the Government, said the Government was determined to investigate most thoroughly the utility of airships and a sub-committee on research had already ordered experimental machines in connection with the projected air mail service to India. Arrangements were being made with the Governments of Canada, Australia and New Zealand to train officers as pilots. Two officers from Canada, two from Australia were now attending courses at the British staff college.

NEW FEDERAL OFFICES IN LONDON SECURED

Canadian Government Acquires Lease of Union Club Building in Trafalgar Square

OTTAWA, March 21.—The Canadian Government has secured the Union Club building at the corner of Cockspur Street and Trafalgar Square as its new offices in London, England, it was announced in the House last night by Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works.

The freehold belongs to the Crown, but the Canadian Government has secured a lease for 100 years. The ground rental is to be £2,850, and the Canadian Government is paying £235,000 to the present holders of the lease for their rights, including the facing of the building with stone in place of the present facing of stucco or brick.

The announcement was made in connection with an item of $1,300,000.

The House went into committee of supply for the purpose of unanimous consent. British Columbia declined to sell British Columbia House to the Dominion Government, Mr. King said in reply to a question.

Relief Came After Using Two Boxes

Mrs. John McRae Is Very Satisfied With Dodd's Kidney Pills

She Had Suffered for Three Years and Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

GRAND PABOS, Que., March 21.—(Special)—From all parts of Canada come the same glad tidings, telling the same glad story to sufferers that suffer no longer, of the weak being made strong and healthy, and of the good work that is being done by Dodd's Kidney Pills. People are now learning the importance of keeping the kidneys in shape, of watching for the least symtoms of Kidney Trouble, and they turn at once to Dodd's Kidney Pills, because they know they have a remedy that they can rely on, a remedy that never fails. Right here in Grand Pabos, Mrs. John McRae, a much respected resident, comes forward with a statement that adds to the long list of grateful letters. She says:

"I have suffered from my kidneys for three years. I sent for some of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They have helped me so much that I intend taking them again any time my kidneys pain me. I only used two boxes, and I have not been troubled since." (Advt.)

LIVE CHRISTIANITY; NOT BRAG ABOUT IT

Lady Astor Gives Characteristic Retort to Vulgar Interruption by Labor Member During Debate in House of Commons on Admiralty Vote and Attempts to Reconcile National Defence With the Sermon on the Mount

LONDON, March 21.—There was a lively breeze in the House of Commons last night during the debate on the Admiralty vote, when Lady Astor (Unionist) remarked that she knew how difficult it was for Labor members to reconcile the question of defence with the Sermon on the Mount. She added that if Labor members learned as much in the next six weeks as in the last six, even Singapore would be safe in their hands. She was only sorry that some of the Labor back benchers had not got jobs so they could learn a bit.

G. Lansbury, Labor: That is a sample of good Christian love and charity.

Lady Astor: I try to live Christianity; not brag about it."

Several Labor members protested against these "insulting remarks," to which the chairman replied that he had not heard any.

Lady Astor, continuing, said the only trouble was she said things that were true and the Labor members did not like it.

G. Lansbury: Go on with the gospel.

Subsequently there was much laughter when a Conservative member referred to the front benchers as the biggest lot of landlubbers ever seen. In reply to this, D. Kirkwood, Labor, asked whether it was in order for a member to use such words in reference to His Majesty's Government.

Commander Burney, Unionist, created another scene by referring to the Liberal opposition to the building of new cruisers as an attempt to murder British sailors. Liberal members demanded withdrawal of the remark, and a Labor member said four members had been expelled from the last Parliament for a similar accusation. Burney eventually withdrew the remark, explaining that what he meant was that in the event of war, Britain would have to send against Japanese cruisers with 18-inch guns, cruisers with 16-inch guns, which would result in the murder of British sailors.

Mennonites Do Not Take Kindly to Mexican Ways And Trek North Again

WINNIPEG, March 21.—Manitoba Mennonites who made a trek to Mexico a year ago have found conditions unsatisfactory and are returning to Western Canada. A number of them passed through here yesterday en route to Harris, Sask., where they will again take up farming under Canadian regulations, and others will follow shortly.

WAR PENSIONS MAY REMAIN UNALTERED

WIRE INDICATES FURTHER VOTE WILL BE SOUGHT

Intelligence From Ottawa Pleases Local Veterans, Who Will Continue Fight For Bonus

The vigorous efforts that local ex-service men's bodies have been putting forth in opposition to the suggested elimination of the bonus in pensions, are already beginning to show satisfactory results, as telegraph advices received here from Ottawa yesterday indicate that the proposed one-third reduction in pensions will not be put into effect, and application will be made to Parliament at this session by Hon. Dr. H. S. Beland, Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, it is understood, for a vote to continue the bonus as it now stands.

Receipt of this intelligence at ex-service men's clubs in Victoria yesterday was greeted with delight, although local veterans realize that their fight against bonus elimination has not yet been actually won, although the first round of the campaign has been passed successfully. The ex-service men's organizations have been waging strenuous objections to the proposal to cut off the pension bonus, and intend carrying on the battle with renewed vigor and enthusiasm until their objective has been attained.

The Tuberculous Veterans and Amputation Club have joined together to fight the suggested pension cut, while last week the Canadian Legion decided to actively co-operate with these two bodies in their publicity campaign. The Great War Veterans' Association is fighting for the present scale of pensions, including the bonus, to be made the permanent pension rate, and is carrying its campaign throughout the Dominion.

Local community service clubs have lent their endorsation to the veterans' protestations, while other public bodies have adopted resolutions approving the stand of the ex-service men in their fight to retain the present pension bonus. The support of the general public is solicited by the veterans, who are confident of obtaining same when it is understood what a one-third cut in pensions would mean to war widows and disabled men.

In conjunction with the Tuberculous Veterans and the Amputation Club, efforts are being made through the Ministerial Association to have this subject of bonus elimination dealt with by the ministers in all churches in Victoria simultaneously. A request has been made to the Centennial Church for the use of the radio for a speaker representing the veterans to broadcast an address on the subject.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE CONFERENCE TODAY

Public Invited to Attend Meetings Being Held Morning and Afternoon at School Board Office

The committee on arrangements for the conference on domestic science which is being held both morning and afternoon today at the School Board office, under the auspices of the Local Council of Women, has issued a questionnaire to a number of societies and private individuals in the city, with a view to provoking discussion of both aspects of the question. However any person has a definite opinion either as to the merits or demerits of domestic science in the schools is cordially invited to participate in the debate, and will be welcomed to the conference as an auditor or speaker.

The following are the questions:

(1) Are you in favor of the teaching of domestic science in the public schools of Victoria? If not, why not?

(2) Should it be taught in High School?

(3) If so, should it be optional?

(4) In 1923, for teachers' salaries and supplies, domestic science cost the city $4,632.76. Did it cost too much?

(5) Is the present method of teaching sufficiently practical?

(6) If you do not like the name domestic science, can you suggest a better one?

ANCIENT COLONY'S EX-LEADER GUILTY

SIR RICHARD SQUIRES ACCEPTED $63,000 GRAFT

Royal Commission's Probe into Affairs of Newfoundland Finds Against Former Premier

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 20.—In his report handed in to the Governor-in-Council under date of March 15, T. Hollis Walker, K.C., of London, England, Royal Commissioner, who spent the last ten weeks here investigating the allegations of wrongdoing which led to the downfall of the Squires Government last Summer, finds definitely and absolutely against Sir Richard Squires, former Premier of Newfoundland.

The commissioners hold it as proved that Sir Richard accepted presents of large amounts of money from the Dominion Iron & Steel Co. at time when the concern was conducting negotiations with the government of which Sir Richard was leader. He judges it proved that amounts of money totalling more than $43,000 were paid from the treasury of the company to Sir Richard with the knowledge, consent and approbation of high officials of the company.

To Influence Prime Minister

He concludes that such payments could be made only because the company hoped they would thereby influence Sir Richard as Prime Minister in favor of its interests. Commissioner Walker finds that the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co. was not a party to these transactions.

In respect to the charge embodied in the first paragraph of his commission, that amounts paid to the department of the liquor controller were not paid into the treasury but were paid over to private individuals, Mr. Walker reports the allegation fully proved, and states Sir Richard received and used for his own purposes over $20,000 of the public funds at various times.

ASK GOVERNMENT TO USE DISCRETION

Council of Vancouver Board of Trade Urge Rigid Economy on Part of Oliver Government

VANCOUVER, March 21.—Drastic curtailment and rigid economy in all branches of public service rendered by the Provincial Government to lighten taxation in British Columbia is the demand of the Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia, which was endorsed by the council of the Vancouver Board of Trade at their meeting here yesterday.

Premier Oliver is petitioned to follow, without delay, the example set by the Dominion Government in pruning its administrative departments to the limit.

There is, the resolution of the upper country Board of Trade declare, apparently much overlapping and duplication in government service. The research and statistical departments, it avers, should come under close scrutiny with a view to removing unnecessary labor.

While the mood for tax reduction is in the air, the resolution adds, British Columbia's government should adopt a policy of retrenchment.

Canadian Artist Dead

NEW YORK, March 21.—Frederick Charles Gordon, Canadian artist, died at his Westfield, N.J., studio yesterday. He was born at Cobourg, Ont., and began his career at Toronto. He was noted for his painting of portraits and landscapes.

Reader Takes Newer Form of Iron—Feels Years Younger

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BOBBED HAIR BLONDE INTRIGUES POLICE

New York Sleuths Identify Fair Captive as Friend of Victim of Celebrated Mystery Murder

NEW YORK, March 21.—Numerous victims of a bobbed-hair bandit in Brooklyn and New York are willing to appear and try to identify a pretty bobbed-haired blonde captured last night after an attempt to hold up a Manhattan tailor.

She was identified by the police as the wife of Albert Guimares, friend of Dorothy Keenan, also known as "Dot" King, murdered last Spring.

Guimares is serving a three-year sentence in the federal prison for using the mails to defraud.

Mrs. Guimares gave her occupation as model and her name as Betty Santos. She wore a decollette gown with a rope of pearls around her neck, a sable coat, silk stockings and pumps.

She once interrupted her police inquisitors to ask for a cigarette. She puffed away while they tried to draw from her additional information.

Petition Against Church Union

HALIFAX, March 21.—Four petitions representing more than 1,000 members of Presbyterian Congregations were presented in the provincial legislature yesterday, urging the House not to pass the church union bill.

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COLWOOD, March 21.—In view of the approaching season, the Colwood Tennis Club is holding a meeting in the Colwood Hall on Wednesday, March 26, at 8 p.m. It is hoped that as many enthusiasts as possible will be present.

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NORTH WELLINGTON WOMAN ESCAPES FROM FLAMES

Husband and Children Forced Out in Night Clothes When Another Island Home Is Consumed

NANAIMO, March 21.—At ten-thirty o'clock last evening fire completely destroyed the fine new home of Mr. Ernest Spall, River Lake, North Wellington, together with the contents. The blaze originated through the explosoin of a gasoline lamp in the kitchen, where Mrs. Spall was completing some work, Mr. Spall and the two children having retired for the night. The flaming gasoline soon spread to the curtains and woodwork of the kitchen, and so rapidly did the flames gain headway that Mrs. Spall was forced to jump through the window to safety, as she was cut off from the doors. Mr. Spall managed to awaken the children and rush them out through the front door, he himself escaping in his underclothing. Everything in the way of furniture and clothing owned by the family was burned, and even a purse containing some fifty dollars, which was lying on the kitchen table, was left behind. Residents of Wellington gathered about the burning building, but were helpless as there was no possible means of fighting the flames.

The house, which had recently been built, was valued at $3,000, and had only been occupied by Mr. Spall and family a short time. It is understood that some insurance was carried on the house and contents.

SOUTH SAANICH MEN ENTERTAIN LADIES

Concert, Supper and Dance Given to Visiting Institute—Evening Replete With Enjoyment

SAANICH, March 21.—True hospitality was the keynote of the evening when the South Saanich Farmers' Institute entertained the South Saanich Women's Institute at the Temperance Hall, Keating, on Thursday night. Each institute held a short business session, after which the ladies were invited to enter the main hall. About sixty couples were present. Each guest was provided with a partner and then the company sat down to enjoying the musical programme presented by Messrs. Summerville, Gold, Wood, Tanner, Amey and Ibbitson, the two latter looking very coquettish in their black and white Pierrette costumes, while the others were dressed as Pierrots. The three musicians, Miss Russell and Messrs. Reginald and Sidney Duck, were also in fancy dress.

The music was delightful, while the songs, solos and choruses, old and new alike, were all sung with a light-heartedness that proved contagious. Mr. C. McCarthy, as the jolly Irishman "Mr. O. Hoolihan," told his troubles to a very sympathetic audience. A solo by Mr. T. B. Kirby and a piano solo by Mr. S. Whitehead were extra attractions that proved highly pleasing.

When the curtain was rung down in the final number the genial president, W. D. Micheil, took charge as master of ceremonies. Dancing, games and a grand march followed until the supper hour, when a substantial repast was provided by the men. An amusing contest of sewing on buttons was won by Miss Styan and Mr. Sommerville, while Miss Russel and Mr. Amey received second prizes.

After the home waltz the company joined hands and after singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" three cheers were proposed for the farmers. These were lustily given, after which the same compliment was paid to the ladies. The crowd dispersed after an evening that was replete with enjoyment.

Royal Oak Residents Support Drug Fight

ROYAL OAK, March 21.—A splendid attendance showed the keen interest of Royal Oak residents in the narcotic drug traffic, when the Rev. H. T. Archbold delivered a lecture in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening under the joint auspices of St. Michael's Church and the Royal Oak Women's Institute. The Rev. A. L. Nixon, rector of St. Michael's Church, occupied the chair, accompanied by Mrs. S. W. Raven, president of the Institute.

Mr. Archbold showed a keen insight into the drug traffic, giving his hearers much information on the subject of the habit-forming drugs and the means by which they were brought into the country and disposed of to the users of the several forms in which it was made available by peddlers. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the speaker, Mrs. Raven making a few remarks in moving the resolution of appreciation.

The meeting passed the following resolution unanimously: "That this meeting wishes to record its belief that the illicit sale of habit-forming drugs has today become a most serious evil to the Province, and desires to express its hearty approval of the suggestions given in the report of the synod of Columbia committee on habit-forming drugs and narcotics for attacking and removing the evil."

Comox People Revising Fall Fair Prize Lists

COURTENAY, March 21. — The Comox Agricultural and Industrial Association is at present busy with an entire revision of its prize list as recommended by the secretary after the last Fall fair. Each division has been entrusted to a committee of two members of the association, and in some cases two divisions are being revised by the same committee. The revision of the horse and sheep sections is in charge of Messrs. Wm. Duncan and W. A. Urquhart. The cattle and swine divisions are in charge of Messrs. T. D. Smith and W. T. Wain. The poultry classes have received a very complete revision at the hands of Messrs. W. J. Gunn and M. S. Stephens. Messrs. G. W. Edwards and A. H. Herd have been asked to bring the garden vegetable section up to date. The fruit and field crops divisions are in the able hands of Messrs. H. P. Allberry and G. R. Bates, and the flower section in the hands of Mrs. W. McPhee and Mr. Theed Pearse. Mesdames W. Brown and W. T. Wain are in charge of the cooking and preserving section, and Mesdames McPhee and Thomas have brought the needlework section completely up to date.

It is hoped to have all the revised classes in the hands of the secretary at the earliest possible date so that the complete list may be put before the directors of the association at the next meeting.

Annual Firemen's Ball Crowned With Success

CUMBERLAND, March 21.—The annual masquerade ball of the Cumberland Volunteer Fire Department, which is always held on St. Patrick's Day, was held on Monday evening in the Ilo-Ilo Hall and was a magnificent success. Many beautiful and unique costumes were worn by the large crowd of masked dancers, the judges finding it extremely difficult to arrive at a decision in many cases. The following were the winners: Best dressed lady, Mrs. Covert; best dressed gentleman, Mr. R. McNeil; best sustained lady, Mrs. W. H. Cope; best sustained gentleman, Mr. J. W. Tremlett; best national lady, Mrs. Andy Kay, Union Bay; best national gentleman, "Mrs." Rundquist; best comic group, Messrs. Marshall, Flause and McLean; best comic lady, "Jock" Stewart; best comic gentleman, Mr. W. Hydes; best clown, F. De Conick; best hobo, J. Wilcox; best flower girl, Miss Rita Kay; best advertising character, Mrs. B. Fisher. Special prizes were awarded to Messrs. Eccleston, Whitehouse and Donnelly, and to Messrs. Slaughter, Walton, Watson and Hutchinson. The prize waltz was won by Miss B. Mitchell and Mr. D. Fraser. A special prize was awarded to Miss Lockhart and Mr. Frank Slaughter. Twelve tombola prizes were drawn for, while a special prize was donated to little Miss Quinn for drawing the numbers from the drum.

Mr. J. H. Cameron made a most efficient master of ceremonies, and Mesdames Farmer and A. Maxwell, with Messrs. Durant, Port Alberni, and R. Kaplanski, of Nanaimo, acted as judges, giving great satisfaction in the arduous task of choosing the winners of the different classes.

B.C. University Players Please Nanaimo House

NANAIMO, March 21.—The University Players of British Columbia presented their play, "The World and His Wife," in the Dominion Theatre last evening to a well-filled house, who gave them a much deserved welcome. The plot of the play, while of rather unusual type, and one that required versatility and strength, was well depicted by the young cast, who portrayed their respective parts in a manner that would do credit to a professional troupe.

The play, which consisted of three acts, was adapted for William Faversham, and generally considered a more desirable production than most of the shows the players have presented here previously. There were no dull moments throughout the whole evening, and considering it was the first presentation of the play it was remarkably fine in every respect.

Miss Betty Somerset, as Donna Teodora, the wife of a diplomat, and a victim of a notorious and tragic scandal, posed as a sweet true wife through all her tribulations. She had splendid stage appearance, a sweet voice, charming personality and made her part seem decidedly realistic. Mr. Peter Palmer, as Don Ernesto, whose name was besmirched by aspirants for political honors, gave excellent support to the play. Mr. Frank Lister, as Don Pepito, exhibited some very clever acting, and Mr. T. Taylor, as Capt. Beauchamp, furnished good comedy that added very delightful touches to a somewhat sober theme. Miss Alfreda Berkley was well placed as Donna Mercedes, as were other members of the cast.

Port Alberni Tax Rate For Year Is Unchanged

PORT ALBERNI, March 21.—Finance was the main theme of discussion at the regular meeting of the City Council Monday evening, when the finance committee introduced the expenditure by-law for 1924. Estimates as prepared by the different committees showed that the proposed expenditure for the year would amount to $64,000 as against an actual expenditure of $59,300 during 1923. Some of the departments of the city would be able to reduce their payments, but with an additional cost of $3,000 added to school expenses, and the necessity of doing a very considerable amount of road work this year, the total expenditure was bound to be higher. On the other hand, the revenue for the year was estimated at $3,000 more than in 1923, although the electric light rates were being reduced, this increase being mainly due to extra government grants on account of school salaries, and the fact that the liquor profits for the last half of 1923 were not received until 1924. As a result of the deliberations of the council, the tax rate for 1924 will remain the same as in 1922 and 1923, viz., 50 mills.

The bylaw to reduce the electric light rates passed its third reading and will come up for reconsideration and adoption at the next regular meeting. It is expected that the new rates will take effect from April 1.

CHINESE LOGGER KILLED BY TREE

Mah Sing, a Chinaman, twenty-nine years of age, was killed yesterday morninig by a falling tree while working in a logging camp at Bowser, B.C., operated by the Hop Wah Logging Co. An inquest was held on the spot by Dr. Butterworth, after which the remains of the man were brought to Nanaimo for interment.

RAISING SHEEP AND HOGS

ROYAL OAK, March 21.—The Victoria Farmers' Institute held a supplementary meeting in Royal Oak school Wednesday evening, with a fair attendance, and the president, Mr. R. W. Mercer, in the chair. An interesting illustrated lecture was given by Mr. Morton, of the Dominion Livestock branch, who gave his hearers much valuable information on the raising of sheep and hogs. The speaker was accorded the sincere thanks of the meeting upon completion of his remarks.

NO QUORUM THERE

SAANICH, March 21.—Fourteen members of the Ladies' Guild of St. Stephen's and St. Mary's attended the meeting held at the home of Mrs. Halet on Wednesday afternoon. No new business was taken up as it was felt that the meeting was scarcely representative enough to settle the important question of amalgamation with the Women's Auxiliary, so this will not be decided until after Easter. The question of obtaining funds was also left open until the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Waller Thompson, Mount Newton, on April 2.

SAANICH, March 21.—The Mount Newton Social Club held its regular fortnightly card party on Wednesday night. The game played was military five hundred and seven tables were engaged. The lucky contestants were: First prizes, Mrs. Hydes, Mrs. Fox, Mr. Verdier and Mr. Gosselin; second, Mrs. R. J. Freeland, Miss C. Wright, Mr. Hydes and Mr. L. Hagan. The final of the series will take place on April 2, when prizes for the highest scores made during the season will be given to the two leading players, lady and gentleman.

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ADVANCE IN DENTISTRY

Canada has just reason for congratulation on the recent results of medical research in this country. The discovery of insulin and its curative properties by Dr. Banting was one of the most noted of the age. Now, following this, a Toronto dentist, Dr. Harold Box, has found out a new treatment of pyorrhoea which is comparable in the dental field to that of insulin in medicine. The treatment is based on the conclusion that pyorrhoea originates in the lining membrane of the tooth socket and is due to unequal pressure of the teeth and that inflammation precedes the disease. The treatment corrects the uneven pressure of the teeth and promotes the growth of new bones where old or diseased. Now-a-days teeth are sacrificed wholesale, whereas by the new process, which has been tried successfully in scores of cases, they may continue to fill the purposes for which they are given to human beings.

THAT "SOMETHING"

Sir James Barrie, the noted novelist and playwright, is an infrequent public speaker. That is probably the reason that when he does speak he has always something to say, and it is said well. The secret of good public speaking would seem to be to speak at long intervals and then never unless there is something to be said beyond the repetition of other people's sayings, or words alone. Sir James Barrie chose his latest occasion for a public speech at the Wallasey High School for girls, a secondary school conducted by the Corporation of Wallasey. It is rather remarkable that he should have taken the opportunity to pay a high tribute to the English Public Schools. It is a tribute worth noting, for there is a greater clamor than ever before by parents to get their boys educated under that system which Sir James Barrie alludes to as follows:

Your great English public schools! I never feel myself a foreigner in England except when trying to understand them. I have a great affection for one at least of them, but they will bewilder me to the end; I am like a dog looking up wistfully at its owner wondering what that noble face means, or if it does have a meaning. To look at, these schools are among the fairest in England; they draw from their sons a devotion that is deeper, more lasting than almost any other love, and I well know that among their masters are men than whom there are no finer in this country. Those schools must be great—and yet I don't quite see how it comes about. Of course, they send yearly on their way a few good scholers and not so few eminent in the games that we love in this land and are right in loving, but the other four-fifths or so, what do they get from their famous schools? The generals and other illustrious old boys answer that question triumphantly at the school festivities we have been speaking of, but leave the outsider still benighted. It is not scholarship—pooh!—it is not even physical prowess; it is not an awakened soul nor any exclusive manliness nor even a superior way of wearing waistcoats. They describe it briefly and unanswerably as a something, and perhaps wisely leave it at that, putting us in our place for ever, and satisfying the youth still at school who may have been worrying a little on the subject. This mysterious something is got with no effort. You just become enrolled a member of that school, and gradually you acquire the something. So far as I can understand it oozes out of the historic old walls and penetrates through your clothes. Never it is said were there so many applications as now to get sons into those houses, never have parents made mightier sacrifices for this great end. Everybody is after the something; will the old walls that provide it hold out? Let us hope so—but life is becoming more strenuous. Somebody somewhere, somehow, will some day have to submit a piece of that something for scientific examination.

Don't think I am saying one word against those great institutions. Even if I wanted to—and I do not—it would be quite useless. No one could move them. When the last trump sounds and all the other buildings fall they will not even have noticed the disturbance. All I am arguing for is, that if they are so splendid, a way in should be found for the boys outside, and that in the meantime slabs of the Something should be procured for other schools. Until you acquire the Something you must get along with the Something Else that you already have.

The London Times attempts to define what Sir James Barrie means by that "Something." In a word, that newspaper says it is "Reverence," and that is what should be inculcated in every school, not in the English Public Schools alone. The Times says: "If there is one word to express it, that word is reverence. Upon whatever object it may be fixed, it is reverence for something that transcends the self that feels it, and transcends especially the mere intellect of that self. Famous generals who boast that they were at the bottom of their form are only paying, in their blundering way, their tribute to that mistrust of individual cleverness, of 'brainy' smartness, which is a leading characteristic of this reverence. . . . 'The game is more than the player of the game'; 'the ship is more than the crew'; 'the job comes before the man'; in such homely quotations from Mr. Kipling and from traditional wisdom we too and from traditional wisdom we too the whole of the public school spirit, is not, perhaps, instantly obvious to the most casual observer in every one who is or has been at a public school, but is, in the end, a great part of the Something after which Sir James Barrie was groping. . . . Tradition and other forces give the public schools a special opportunity of cultivating it most easily and most richly; but in every good school of every grade something of this Something is at work. In girls' schools the soil might well be specially fruitful. That women are better educated than they were is not the only reason why they are more welcome than of old in office and hospital and library. From their schools they bring something of that team-spirit, that Something—call it reverence, or sportsmanship, or devotion—which, since the world began, has induced them, in the home, to live not for themselves, but for the family."

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

Legislation which, from the standpoint of the Criminal Law appears revolutionary, and which incidentally goes a long way towards the abolition of capital punishment, is to be introduced in the British Parliament by Mr. Ammon. It is known as the "Offences Against the Person Bill" and although to be introduced by a Labor Minister it is fairly obvious that some of its provisions will not receive the sanction of Parliament. The Bill proposes that criminal homicide shall not amount to murder except where either there was intention to kill the deceased or some other person, or where there was intention to cause bodily harm, certain or likely to cause death, accompanied by indifference or recklessness whether death ensued or not. By the terms of the Bill murder committed by a person of 16 or upwards is to be punishable with a fixed sentence of penal servitude for life. Where, however, the offender is already undergoing penal servitude for life, the penalty is to be death. In other words that practically means that the only cases of murder where capital punishment can be inflicted can take place within the walls of a penitentiary. This is an anachronism, and foreign to all previous British conceptions of capital crime.

Where the proposed new law will receive a good deal of commendation is in those provisions which relate to juvenile delinquency. The Bill provides that the law with respect to sexual offences should be revised and the age of consent raised to 18 years. Under certain circumstances the procuration of women and girls would be made a felony punishable with penal servitude for five years, or, if the girl is under 16, with penal servitude for ten years. The Bill in these matters will probably secure the consent of Parliament, but the effort to do away with capital punishment will arouse very strenuous opposition. The practice of capital punishment as followed out in Great Britain has kept capital crimes at a low ebb, and, indeed, the law in this respect is the best that prevails in any country. Capital crime, for instance, in the United States is proportionately far more prevalent than in Britain, for one reason because, through the mechanism of the courts in the United States, it is frequently easy to escape its capital consequences. We do not believe that Britain is prepared to abolish capital punishment and for that reason there is little chance of Mr. Ammon's Bill going through Parliament as it stands at present.

Mr. Lloyd George has always been a master of mixed metaphors. He seems to delight in them. Here is one of his latest, perpetrated in speaking before the Northern Liberal Federation with reference to the Labor Government: "It is just like the luck of Britain that the first experiment in a Socialist Administration has come under conditions where it can do the least harm, nay, even conditions under which it may do a great deal of good. The experience is already having a most salutary effect upon the most impetuous souls of the Socialist Party. I am all for leaving them for some time between the handles of the plough. They will soon have aching backs and weary hearts, but very much wiser heads. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the principal aviator in the air squadron of Socialism, has spent most of his lifetime in displaying his skill among the great white clouds of Socialist idealism. He is quite a changed man since he joined the infantry, and has to trudge along mother earth carrying his knapsack."

By a new process large quantities of insulin can be prepared at a much reduced cost in England. There is to be an immediate reduction in the price to something under 2s per 100 clinical units, with the possibility of even cheaper insulin before long. This will bring the remedy for diabetes within the reach of everyone.

Influenza Epidemic Abates

LONDON, March 21.—The influenza epidemic throughout the country is subsiding, though the deaths from the disease last week numbered nearly 1,600.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

A correspondent suggests with regard to what he considers certain wild-cat speculative schemes that a word to the wise should be sufficient. We are not so sure about that. From the depth of a somewhat extended experience we have frequently remonstrated with persons who were tempted to put money they could ill spare into enterprises that appeared to be more than doubtful, and have had abuse and opprobrious epithets heaped upon our head for our pains.

. . .

It should be the business of the Government to protect gullible people, whom we shall have with us to the end, against the sharks which frequent the waters of every community. But we also doubt whether there is any power given under heaven and conferred upon the mighty of the earth that could prevent suckers from biting at every bait that is dangled in front of their noses.

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The fact of the matter is, and we might as well confess it for the good of our souls, that we are a highly speculative people in British Columbia. The atmosphere of the goldfields still lingers here, is drawn into our lungs, and affects the blood in our veins, which of course goes to our heads. We have all come West, or are born of people who came West, for the purpose of making money—making it honestly if we can, quickly if possible, but making it by some means or other.

. . .

So there you are, and what is to be done about it? We all detest sharpers or sharks, whether they pretend to deal in gold mines, oil wells, real estate, race tracks, or in anything that from its very nature must be speculative. We all believe that the innocent and the unwary and the trustful should be protected against them. But what if the said innocent and unwary and trustful are just as lustful according to their nature as the crafty persons who shear them like so many innocent, bleating sheep? There is more than one aspect to this question, therefore; and we shall therefore refrain from expressing an opinion on the subject, merely suggesting to those who are comfortably situated not to be beguiled into putting money that may make the difference between modest comfort and grinding poverty into any speculative enterprise. Only people who have plenty and to spare should indulge themselves in "long shots."

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We are told that the Singapore naval base is purely a Pacific problem, and that Canada has no interest in it. That is the Official Ottawa view, Official Ottawa probably not being aware that the waters of the Pacific Ocean wash the Western shores of Canada. At any rate Official Ottawa is going to assume a neutral or negative attitude on this important matter. It is going to let Great Britain, Australia and other parties which realize that they are interested in the future of the Pacific fight it out and either settle it in their own way or leave it to settle itself in a way which may prove disastrous to the British Empire.

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Premier Bruce of Australia, who seems to be endowed with positive qualities as a statesman, says the Commonwealth is willing to contribute in cash or in any other way that may be suggested to the cost of construction of the base. Apparently Canada is not expected to say a word on the subject, but a suggestion has been made from a source outside of Canada that the establishment of naval fuel bases on this coast would be considered a very acceptable contribution to the great Imperial undertaking.

. . .

The old naval station at Esquimalt, now shorn of its ancient glory and prestige, would be eminently suitable for the purposes of a fuel base, but as the Progressive element in the House of Commons at Ottawa is now dominating the policy of the Government, which has surrendered to Progressive demands in order to hold office until the end of its official term, and as the Progressives are opposed to sea power and to everything that savors of anything except pacifism and reciprocity with the United States, we need hardly expect Ottawa to open its eyes and see that Canada is a Pacific power, and therefore deeply interested in the future freedom of shipping on the Pacific Ocean.

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In the meantime it is interesting to note that the Singapore naval base question is likely to become a major issue in British politics, and that the attitude of the MacDonald Government to it probably will settle the fate of that administration.

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As the hart is said to pant after the water brook, so the people in different parts of the world aspire to great things. Switzerland is going to have a navy and Poland is seeking to establish a merchant marine. The sailors for one probably will be trained on the giant ships of Lake Geneva; those for the other in the merchant ships of the United States, which are always short of full complements of hands.

The famous legal case of Jarndyce v. Jarndyce has been eclipsed. A case that has been before the courts of Berne for five hundred years has been settled. The English case died a natural death after all the estate which was the cause of it had been eaten up in costs. The Swiss suit lasted longer because it swallowed up several estates. Justice is swifter in British Columbia. It consumed and assimilated an estate in a couple of years or so and bankrupted a suitor into the bargain.

Do You Remember—

'Way back when Indians used the little rocky island, called Deadman's Island, above the Point Ellice Bridge as a burial ground, putting their dead in boxes and placing them on the island? And how one Summer the grass and trees took fire and the corpses were consumed, causing a great powwow among the Indians?—J. W.

When the effigy of the late D. W. Higgins, then owner and editor of The Colonist, was burned by some of his political opponents on Government Street, at the end of Trounce Alley? And how Mr. Higgins referred to it very good naturedly in The Colonist the next morning, but took exception to the pipe which was stuck in the mouth of the effigy, saying that he had never smoked a pipe in his life?—D.

(Reply to W. G. C.)—I remember—do you?—when the municipal council held its meetings in a wooden building at the corner of Broad Street and Trounce Alley, the present site of the Central Building.

I do not remember the municipal hall being at the southwest corner of Government and Broughton Streets. My recollection places it at the southeast corner of the said streets, the present site of the Weiler Building, and that ex-Mayor Richard Lewis (deceased) lived in an adjoining cottage to the south.

I remember—do you?—when W. J. Williams (deceased) had a livery and sale stable at the corner of Government and Johnson Streets, present site of E. G. Prior & Co. building; and the old bus, "Young America," drawn by six prancing horses, held firmly in place by Driver Martin. What remains of the "Young America" can be seen on the vacant lot at the southeast corner of Broughton and Langley Streets. Look at it and recall pleasant memories of fifty years ago!

I remember — do you? — when Madame Quarrels kept a saloon and rooming house on the east side of Government Street, near Johnson, which was a great resort in Winter months for miners returning from Cariboo with pouches full of gold dust. When those who too freely imbibed and lost their equilibrium, thereby making it necessary for them to be carried upstairs to their rooms, were taken up the stairs they were carried feet first—causing the contents of their pockets to fall out, never to be seen by them again!—F. G. R.

Poems That Endure

Unwinding all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony.
—John Milton.

VIRTUE

Virtue, on herself relying,
Every passion hush'd to rest,
Loses every pain of dying,
In the hope of being blest.
Every added pang she suffers
Some increasing good bestows,
Every shock that malice offers
Only rocks her to repose.
—Oliver Goldsmith.

By the Way—

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Asmodeus Said to Have Had an X-Ray Eye

IN Jewish demonology Asmodeus was an evil spirit who is said to have possessed what today would be called an X-ray eye. Asmodeus is sometimes jocularly spoken of as destroying matrimonial happiness. In the apocryphal book of Tobias he is represented as loving Sara, the daughter of Raguel and Edna, and causing the death of seven husbands on the bridal night. Tobias, instructed by the angel Raphael, burned the heart and liver of a fish that he caught in the Tigris, and the smell drove the demon into Egypt, where Raphael bound him, leaving Tobias and Sara in peace.

According to the Testament of Solomon, Asmodeus brought to Solomon's service the magic worm Shamir, whose touch split stones; he then for a time usurped the throne of Solomon, performing many of the evil deeds attributed to Solomon. Le Sage has made Asmodeus the title character of his "Le Diable Boiteux" ("The Limping Devil, or Devil on Two Sticks"). Asmodeus being fabled to have become lame by breaking his leg. He is released from his prison, a bottle, by Don Cleofas, a young Spanish scholar, whom Asmodeus carries in his flight over Madrid, giving him the power of seeing through the roofs and walls of the houses.

Today—March 22

Is the Anniversary of:

Birth of Sir Anthony Vandyck, celebrated Dutch painter; Antwerp, 1599.

Birth of Rosa Bonheur, famous for her animal pictures; Bordeaux, 1822.

Death of Jonathan Edwards, American Calvinistic theologian and teacher; Princeton, N.J., 1758.

Death of Johann Wolfgang Goethe, great German poet and prose writer; Weimar, 1832.

Suppression of the order of Knights Templar; 1312.

Crossing of the Jordan River by General Allenby's army; 1918.

Church Robber Gets Twelve Years

MONTREAL, March 21.—Twelve years in the penitentiary was the sentence given here today to Basil Karthiuk, Roumanian, convicted of robbing many churches in St. Maurice Valley.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Farm Implements

Sir,—A few days ago there appeared in the local evening paper an editorial article on the subject of the present cost of farm implements. The writer of that article quoted figures taken from the columns of a Montreal paper comparing the present prices of certain farm implements with the prices of the same implements in 1914. Neither writers of the articles referred to offered any comment upon the probable reasons for the present prices of the implements in question, and it may therefore be assumed that they are unfamiliar with the causes affecting the prices of farm implements today as compared with prices in 1914.

As a large number of your readers are unquestionably interested in and vitally affected by this matter of farm implement prices, from reasons of more importance to them than mere political propaganda, the following facts connected with the reason for present prices of these implements, as compared with prices before the war, may be of interest to them as well as to others of your readers.

The present costs of raw materials and labor used by the manufacturers of farm implements in Canada show the following increases between 1914 and the present time:

	Per cent
Labor	113
Steel	128
Pig iron	69
Malleable castings	100
Fuel oil	93
Coal	32
Coke	125
Cotton duck	169
Linseed oil	124
Maple lumber	248
Oak lumber	145
Southern pine	112

In addition to these tremendous increases in the cost of raw material and labor, there has been an increase of from 44 per cent to 100 per cent in freight rates, which applies not only to the transportation of the finished machines, but also to all the raw materials which enter the factories for manufacturing purposes.

Briefly, an examination of these figures shows that since 1914 the cost of manufacturing has increased 113 per cent in the matter of labor, 128 per cent for raw materials, 44 per cent to 100 per cent in freight rates, and at the present time there is an additional 6 per cent to the Government for sales tax.

Further comment as to the reason for increased prices in farm implements would appear to be unnecessary, but it might be pertinent to inquire into the alleged fabulous profits which it has been suggested that the manufacturers of these implements have been making as a result of the increases in prices of their products.

The following figures are taken from authenticated published financial statements of various implement manufacturers covering the last three years, and there is therefore no secret about them.

One of the leading Canadian companies shows a loss of $2,210,000 as a result of its last three years' operations. Another company, located in Quebec, shows a deficit since 1919 amounting to the enormous total of $7,025,835. Another company shows a loss of $2,381,779 on its 1923 operation alone.

These tremendous losses are not confined to Canadian companies alone. In the United States twenty of the leading agricultural implement companies show an approximate total loss of fifty million dollars during the last two years.

It has been said that uninformed opinion is generally hostile opinion. Presumably that would account for such editorials as appeared recently in the local evening paper and in the Montreal paper, which was used as a text for the local editorial referred to. It may be noted that the writer of the Montreal article was careful to avoid any reference to the increase in advertising rates in his paper since 1914, nor did the author of the local article make any mention of the tremendous increase in the cost of lumber, a local product, during the same period. Doubtless just as good reasons could be advanced for the increases in cost of these two items as have been quoted in this letter in connection with farm implements.

In view of the political propaganda at present emanating from Ottawa in connection with this subject, much more could be said would space allowed permit. Suffice it to repeat that uninformed opinion is frequently hostile opinion, and that any ill-considered legislation, designed purely for strengthening the position of a political party in power, may have a still more serious effect on one of the most important industries in the country than it has already experienced during the last three years, with a corresponding fatal effect on the agricultural communities throughout the country.

It may not be generally known that 80 per cent of the total value of the farm products of Canada are consumed in Canada. Any legislation curtailing legitimate industrial activity in a country which under our present economic system needs all the industries it can foster, must eventually have a serious effect on the principal industry of them all—agriculture.

H. A. BOWDEN.

119 Moss Street, Victoria, B.C., March 19, 1924.

The Cannery Question

Sir,—Mr. Harry Beach, in his letter in your Thursday issue, in reply to my letter in the previous issue of your paper, states that "I should be enlightened as to the fruit business on the Island from 'a jam and cannery standpoint.'" In reply to this I beg to tell Mr. Beach that I am enlightened along these lines to about the same degree and extent as most of those who are raising the cry for the establishment of a "cannery," not essentially a "jam factory," which will, if necessary, be capable of handling the whole product of Vancouver Island, not only for the canning of all kinds of fruits, but also of all kinds of vegetables, dehydration of the same, as also the pasteurization of juices for use in the making of the different kinds of beverages.

The jam factory and the institution to which I refer as a "cannery," as being so much needed for Vancouver Island, are horses of entirely different colors. I have no particular knowledge or information as to the capacity or the purposes of the Beach-Eakins jam factory than that there is such a thing in existence, nor am I out to cast reflections upon either this or any other like institution. What I wish to emphasize and to make clear to everybody is "the urgent need of a cannery that is capable of handling and taking care of all the fruits and vegetables grown on Vancouver Island." This is a business carried on extensively by nearly all the states to the south of us, with the highest degree of success and to the advantage of all concerned. Why cannot the same thing be done on Vancouver Island, with our wonderful stretches of the finest soil in the world and our superior climatic conditions? We have everything in our favor to make Vancouver Island a world leader along these lines.

Vancouver Island growers want a cannery, and want it badly—one such as I have referred to, owned and controlled by the growers, so that they may be enabled to rap the full profits from their products and compete with others. Between one thing and another the producer has been, and is being, too much exploited and actually skinned out of his fair share of the product of his labor. It matters not to me whether the growers buy out any other smaller institutions that might appear to be in the way. That is their business and not mine. My contention is, and always has been, that there are altogether too many middlemen and hangers-on for the good of the real worker—the producer. The grower, or producer, if you like it better, is entitled to more than he is getting for his trouble and toil, and the most satisfactory and surest way to accomplish this is for him to own and control every detail in the handling of his own product, notwithstanding what some have to say to the contrary, and this will at the same time provide a means of wiping out the existence of the class above referred to.

Trusting that by this time Mr. Beach has discovered that the horse he is driving and the quadruped which I have been anxious to get under way are traveling on two different roads, and that both may, and should, succeed without the slightest injury one to the other. Let both go to it and push on with both feet. The sooner both horses get over the top the better their friends will like them.

W. M. WILSON.

1460 Grant Street, Victoria, B.C., March 21, 1924.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 22, 1874)

A Wreck—The steamship California, on her way up from California, when five miles south of Cape Flattery, saw a vessel floating bottom up. The wreck was considerably down by the head. About forty feet of the keel was visible. The rudder, which was partly detached, was plainly seen, but the hull was submerged, so that the name was invisible. She seemed to be a vessel of 200 tons, quite new, and not coppered. No wreckage was floating near. This in all probability, is a marine disaster consequent upon the reprehensible practice of carrying heavy deckloads of lumber.

Railway Surveys—We hear it rumored that Mr. Hunter, M.P.P., has received instructions to immediately survey the land lying between Blue River and Clearwater, to connect the surveys already made from Tete Jaune Cache with the surveys completed from the Coast.

Awarded—The contract for building Mr. Sohl's new store and warehouse on Government Street, was awarded as follows: Brick and stone work, including material, M. Humber, $2,444; carpenter's work, not including material, to MacDonald & Welch, $150.

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Ladies' Rakes, at ..... 60¢
Ladies' Hoes, at ..... 85¢
Ladies' Spades, at ..... 90¢
Ladies' Forks, at ..... 90¢
Socket Garden Hoes $1.25
Shank Garden Hoes $1.15
Dutch Hoes $1.15
Long Handle Spades $1.50
Short Handle Spades $1.45
Long Handle Spading Forks, at $2.00
Short Handle Spading Forks, at $2.10
Garden Trowels, at 35¢ and 25¢
Garden Forks ..... 40¢
Garden Weeders ..... 25¢
Hedge Shears (notched), at $1.75
Hedge Shears (plain), $1.50
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ST. GEORGE'S LADIES ELECT PRESIDENT

Mrs. Loach Chosen by Ladies' Auxiliary of St. George's Society at Annual Meeting

Mrs. Loach, founder of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Victoria branch of the Royal Society of St. George, was re-elected to the presidency of that body for the fifth season at the annual meeting of the Auxiliary last night. The meeting took place at the Deanery, Mrs. Loach presiding during the major part of the proceedings. With the exception of the secretary, Mrs. Hartley, who finds that she has not the leisure for the work at present, all officers were returned, the elections resulting, therefore, in the following:

Honorary president, Mrs. Scriven; president, Mrs. Loach; vice-president, Mrs. Quainton; second vice-president, Mrs. Mardell; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Parsons; secretary, Mrs. H. D. Davis; standard-bearer, Miss Mardell.

COUNCIL FAVORS SANDPITS SITE

EYESORE MAY BE MADE INTO MEMORIAL PARK

Special Committee of Stevenson Memorial Committee Meets Public Works Committee

From discussion which took place at the Public Works Committee meeting yesterday it appeared that the majority of the aldermen favor the development of the Spring Ridge sandpits as a park in memory of the late Rev. William Stevenson.

Alderman Woodward and Mrs. H. W. Graves appeared before the committee on behalf of the Stevenson memorial committee in regard to the question of what property should be developed as a memorial.

Alderman Woodward quoted from a report which he and Mrs. Graves had made on the various proposed sites. If the Council would grade and drain the sandpits the memorial committee would see to the beautification and equipping of the park, he explained.

Discussion on the part of the aldermen centred mainly around the sandpits, although some land between Gladstone Avenue and Vining Street, east of Fernwood Road, and also the gore on Pandora Avenue were also mentioned.

While he had every respect for the late Mr. Stevenson, said Alderman Ker, the Council should remember that the city had not yet a memorial to the men who died in the war, and he thought that if the city commenced providing memorials for individuals before that was done there would be strong objection.

The scheme to put a park at the sandpits would serve a double purpose, pointed out Alderman Sargent. The city had dug the holes to secure material for development in other parts of the city, and the Council owed it to the district to remove the eyesore.

All that was being asked was that the city dedicate a site and the Stevenson memorial committee would take charge of the improving of the property, explained Alderman Marchant. He did not want the Council to dismiss cursorily the suggestion that the gore on Pandora Avenue be used. It was admirable for the purpose of a little tots' playground and was "pre-eminently beautiful."

The special committee consisting of Alderman Woodward and Mrs. Graves was asked to report to the Council, in co-operation with the City Engineer and the Parks Superintendent, just what work it was desired that the city do on the sandpits and what the memorial committee was willing to carry out.

TRACES INDUSTRIAL GROWTH OF CANADA

Dominion Contains Principal Essentials for Future Development—Coal and Iron

Industrial development of Canada and those sections of the Dominion which showed the greatest industrial growth were interestingly described by Mr. V. L. Denton, of the Normal School staff, in his lecture given on Thursday night to the Native Sons of Canada, Victoria branch, at their quarters, corner Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street. Mr. Denton dealt first with the Eastern industrial centres of the Dominion, principally located in Ontario, and traced the growth of various manufacturing enterprises in the wake of settlement and consequent demand for commodities through the Western Provinces to the Pacific Coast.

Canada, he pointed out, while occupying at the present time an important position in the industrial life of the world, was destined for tremendous development, as within its borders was contained those natural commodities which were essential to industrial progress—coal and iron. Up to the present industry had tapped only the fringe of the country's possibilities, he said, and he showed on a map of the Dominion a comparatively narrow belt of territory extending from Lake St. Clair to a point a short distance beyond Montreal, where the main industrial enterprise of Canada was located.

Following Mr. Denton's address, and the passing of a vote of thanks by the meeting, refreshments were served by the Native Sons' Association.

TAKE RELIGIOUS HABIT OF ST. ANN

Five Candidates Invested by Monsignor Leterme in Impressive Ceremony at Convent Chapel

Right Reverend Monsignor Leterme, assisted by Reverend Fathers Silver and Janssens, officiated at a very interesting ceremony at the convent chapel of St. Ann's Academy on Tuesday morning, when five young ladies were invested with the religious habit of the Order: Sister Mary Justa, Miss Anna Specken, of Vancouver; Sister Mary of the Cross, Miss Margaret Dementieff, of Alaska; Sister Mary Irene Teresa, Miss Irene Riel, of Worcester, Massachusetts; Sister Mary Gabriella, Miss Gabriell Colliard, of Duncan, V.I.; and Sister Mary Pintan, Miss Helen Henley, also of Duncan.

The sermon for the occasion, which was very instructive and impressive, was delivered by Rev. Father Silver, who explained for the uninitiated members of the audience the step being taken by the young candidates in entering the Order, a step which entailed self-sacrifice and abnegation.

This ceremony was the closing act of an eight days' retreat, directed by the Reverend Father d'Orsonance, S.J. More than forty members of the Order of St. Ann from different convents in the Province followed the exercises of this retreat.

The student choir sang Hamma's "Magnificat," Yung's "Pater Noster," and the motet "Vir Fidelis" in honor of St. Joseph, with the usual hymns prescribed for Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

In the sanctuary during the ceremony were also Rev. Father d'Orsonance, S.J., rector of Edmonton College; Rev. Father Scheelan, and Rev. Father Mertens, of Tacoma.

TELLS OF ESKIMOS OF CORONATION GULF

Dr. Jenners, Federal Ethnologist, Traces Migrations From Central Asia—Describes Customs

Before the Natural History Society last night, Dr. Jenners, of the Victoria Memorial Museum, Ottawa, an ethnologist who accompanied the Stefansson expedition in 1913, gave a most instructive lecture on the subject of the Eskimos of Canada, Alaska and Greenland.

He traced the migrations of the inhabitants of Central Asia northeasterly across the Bering Sea in successive floods. These tribes became settled in Greenland, Northern Canada and Alaska.

Later tribes drove some down to the Aleutian Islands, who are the Aleuts of today.

Dr. Jenners spent seven months in Coronation Gulf and made many measurements and ethnological observations on the people. The Eskimos are nomadic and travel for fishing and hunting the year round. In Winter seal is the only food; in Spring it is fish; and in Summer the families move inland to hunt caribou.

A large number of splendid slides from photos taken among the Eskimos were shown, which showed graphically the strange double jacket suits of caribou hide and sealskin boots.

In answer to questions Dr. Jenners gave detailed descriptions of the method of wearing the hair very long, of the cutting the hair in modern times by the men. Igloos in Winter and skin shelters in Summer formed their residences.

Rev. Robert Connell moved a vote of thanks and Mr. Frank Kermode seconded this.

Dr. Jenners left on the night boat and is to spend the next season in Peace River district.

OBITUARIES

CARROLL—The death took place at an early hour yesterday morning at the family residence near the E. & N. bridge, of James Patrick Carroll, aged thirty-nine years. He was born in Adams, Mass., and had been a resident of this city for the past thirty-five years, coming here with his parents at the age of four years. The late Mr. Carroll is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Carroll; four brothers and three sisters, Messrs. W. H. and C. A. Carroll, and Mrs. W. H. Murphy, of this city; C. J. Carroll, of San Francisco; Mr. F. Carroll, of Sacramento; Mrs. W. E. Burris and Miss Ann Carroll, of Oakland, California. The remains will rest at the Sands Funeral Chapel until Monday, March 24, at 8:30, when the cortege will proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral where mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father J. F. Sliver. The remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

ATKINSON—Mr. A. S. D. Atkinson, carpenter and builder, died suddenly on March 12 at Oakland, Californian. He was well known and had many friends in Victoria. He was a son of the late Dr. Edward Atkinson, of Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and leaves a wife and daughter, Gwendolyn, and seven brothers.

An electric movie machine for use in the home and designed to run the ordinary reel of one thousand feet of film has been invented and is now on the market. It is the idea of the manufacturer to bring motion pictures into the home and making them available for entertainment and education along with the phonograph and radio.

SAANICH NOMINATES EARLY IN NEXT MONTH

Liberal-Conservatives Will Hold Convention at Royal Oak on April 4

The Liberal-Conservatives of Saanich will meet on Friday, April 4, at Royal Oak, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the coming Provincial election. This decision was arrived at yesterday afternoon at a conference held at the party rooms in the Campbell Building between the Provincial organizer, Mr. J. E. Merryfield, and a number of the party supporters in Saanich. At this gathering the whole situation was gone into and the decision was reached that this would be a suitable time for the holding of the convention. The meeting will be held in Royal Oak Hall at 8 o'clock.

In the intervening time arrangements will be made for the organization of the whole district into separate ward associations. From each of these seven ward associations delegates will be elected to attend the nominating convention.

The leader of the Provincial party, Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., who arrived at the conference just before it closed, was invited to address the gathering and was given a very hearty reception.

Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., the Liberal-Conservative candidate for the Islands, was in attendance at the meeting for a while, and before the conference closed was asked to speak. He called attention to the fact that the riding for which he was a candidate and that of Saanich joined. There was, therefore, some relation between the two, and there could be mutual advantages rendered to each of the districts by the other. Col. Peck spoke most enthusiastically respecting the outlook for the coming election, and urged upon the representatives the most vigorous campaign of education along political lines.

HUNDREDS WITNESS SCOUTS' PROGRAMME

Girls' Central School Packed to Doors Last Night by People Interested in Boys' Movement

With a view to stimulating public interest in the Boy Scout movement, the first of what it is hoped will become annual or semi-annual events was held last night at the Girls' Central School when a splendid display of Scout and Cub work was staged by the troops and packs of the district. Parents and relatives of the boys composed the major part of the audience. People were sandwiched within the four walls of the all-too-small auditorium; others were turned away owing to the lack of accommodation. But enthusiasm was not quenched, and cordial applause greeted every turn of the programme.

The chairman of the local executive, Mr. H. T. Ravenhill, presided, and opened the proceedings by speaking of the need of stronger moral and financial support of a movement which was intended for the betterment of the youth of the country.

About 250 boys took part in the programme, which was arranged with a view to demonstrating the various branches of scouting and their benefits. In this respect there was no room for discriminating between the various numbers, but from the purely artistic standpoint the campfire scene was the most arresting. Good team-work, splendid esprit de corps, keen observation, fitness for pioneering, adaptability, sense of community service and other qualities were noted throughout. Commissioner H. G. Scarrett directed the proceedings, and Commissioner Scott, of Glasgow, was among the most distinguished of the visitors, speaking briefly of the movement in the Homeland.

Mayor Hayward spoke very eloquently about the advantages of scouting, and later presented the June camping trophy, which was won by St. Mary's pack, also the Okell trophy, which went to the Loon (Fairfield) patrol.

TWENTY-FIVE MILL RATE FOR SAANICH

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charge on bank loan be cut from $4,000 to $3,000. The Reeve pointed out that passage of their resolution would mean that the tax collection would be in August, because $3,000 would not pay interest charges on a loan maturing in October. With the consent of his seconder, he withdrew the motion and substituted an amendment calling for delay. Answering a question by Councillor Simpson, the municipal clerk stated that last year 80 per cent of taxes were paid by August 15, and a large percentage was from the rural areas. Put to a vote, the amendment for delay was lost, and the motion favoring October collection was carried.

Health Centre Criticized

Saanich Health Centre came in for some sharp criticism when the 1924 estimate of $4,500 was considered. It was explained that last year the estimate was $3,500, but that sum did not cover two months' operating expenses which were charged against the 1924 appropriation.

"Many parents object to so frequent inspection of their children," Councillor Hagan said. "They keep them out of school when they know the nurse is due at the schools."

Reeve Macnicol defended the Health Centre and the work being done by the staff. He believed that a better spirit of co-operation between the staff and the public served would bring better results. He also claimed that the Centre was saving the people a great deal of money by giving treatments at a very small fee which would otherwise be given by Victoria hospitals.

Councillor Hagan believed that if the people were given an opportunity of voicing their opinion they would vote to close the institution. The estimate was passed when voted upon, the councillor for the Sixth Ward voting against it.

Grants Are Passed

Grants passed by the council included the following: Automobile Camp, $200; Salvation Army, $100; North and South Saanich Agricultural Association, $400; special fund for Agricultural Association prizes, $500; Victoria and District School sports, $37.50; Old Men's Home, $675; Good Roads League, $10; Union of B.C. Municipalities, $50; Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, $500; Old Women's Home, $975; charity fund, $1,800.

In connection with the publicity bureau, Councillor Hagan was opposed to the grant. The only benefit Saanich received from the work of the bureau came from an increased share of Government liquor profits due to sales made to tourists.

Councillor Hagan advanced a vigorous argument in favor of an appropriation for paving a section of the West Saanich Road during the current year, but the hopes of the availability of a fund for such purpose held out by the Reeve were small. The Sixth Ward councillor contended that the rural wards, three, five and six, were not getting a fair share of road work in comparison with their assessment and the contribution they made to the funds of the municipality. He claimed that if the revenue was allotted the various wards in proportion to their respective assessments, Wards Five and Six would complete the West Road paving without calling on the other four wards for assistance.

MERCHANTS FIGHT DAYLIGHT SAVING

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"The hours are already short enough and we want them left as they are," asserted Mr. David Spencer.

The Council should not lightly go against the vote of the people, said Ald. Marchant, who admitted that the isolation of Victoria in the matter of daylight saving might be a detriment, but thought that a further vote should be taken to secure the view of the public.

When the ratepayers had voted against a tax on improvements the Council, knowing the exigencies of the times, had gone against the wish of the people, observed Mr. Stevenson, and now, when merchants who were face to face with the difficulties of daylight saving, which had been approved by the people, asked the Council to stand against the scheme, why shouldn't that body do so?

Ald. Todd could not conceive of the Council being so foolish as to take another vote.

Mr. E. J. Martin, proprietor of the Strathcona Hotel, told the committee that the hotel men were against daylight saving, and at his request Mr. T. Stevenson, manager of the Dominion Hotel, secretary of the hotel men's association, read a petition being presented to the Council, urging that daylight saving be not adopted here this year.

Ald. Sargent thought that the merchants ought to have the Provincial Government legislate to such effect that it would be impossible for individual municipalities to adopt daylight saving, as it should be Province-wide or not at all. He assured the delegation that the matter would come before the Council on Monday night.

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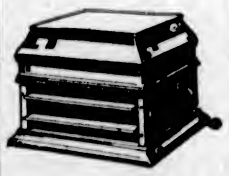

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PARADE TO SHOW CITY'S HISTORY

Pageant Is Suggested Among New Ideas Considered for Victoria Day Celebrations on May 24

MAYTIME FROLIC NAME IS ABANDONED

School Children May Portray Victoria's Past in Pageant Form—King Joy to Accompany Queen

NEW features of the Victoria Day celebrations, proposed at last night's meeting of the committee at the City Hall, were the inclusion of an historical pageant of the city's past in the parade and the attachment of a King Joy to the court of the queen. This gentleman will be the king of the carnival and will personify the carefree spirit of the festive period. He will have to be a jovial sort and full of fun and frolic in order to wear his crown.

The suggestion that the parade include a pageant of the city's history was made to the committee by Capt. Ian St. Clair. The school children would be the chief actors in the spectacle, and would man a succession of floats depicting the early undisturbed Indian days here and the subsequent successive encroachments of the white men. Captain St. Clair told the committee that he had seen Mr. Dean, inspector of city schools, in connection with the plan, and that the latter had been in full accord with it. Merchants would be expected to assist. If the co-operation of city firms can keep the expenses within a reasonable figure, the scheme will probably be accepted.

Victoria Day Wins

It was also decided last night to discard and bury the reviled designation of Maytime Frolic once and for all. Henceforward the celebrations will be known by the same name as in past years.

Reports at the meeting indicated that the queen contest was progressing very well. New queens proposed are the queen of state, the queen of benevolence, and a special queen from among the school children. Maytime dances will be performed by the school children about their monarch on the termination of the parade at Beacon Hill.

The queen of state will be the City Hall representative. It is proposed to have the police, firemen, the outside and the inside employees of the city enter candidates in a private contest, and the most successful girl of the quartette will then represent all four departments and will go into the bigger competition with the total votes of all four to her credit.

The queen of benevolence will be the candidate of the various fraternal associations who, it is proposed, will conduct a contest among themselves to pick a queen along the same lines as in the City Hall competition. The four service clubs will do the same, and from among the four candidates, it is hoped, will send the most popular into the general contest as the queen of service clubs.

Group Competition

The group system of vote tallying will be adopted this year, the committee decided. This means that the winner in any one group will absorb all the votes polled in her class when the time comes to pick the queen of Victoria from among the different departments. Last year the C.P.R. and B.C.E.R. adherents together polled the highest group vote. But the crown was secured by the civil service queen, who was the only entry in her own class. Had the rules last year allowed the C.P.R. contestant to absorb the transportation support given the B.C.E.R. representative, the railway girl would have topped the poll as queen of the carnival. The competition this year will be as between groups, not solely between individual girls.

A feature of the contest will be that $1,000 in prizes will be distributed in connection with the voting.

Queens will also be in the parade representing Bellingham, Port Angeles, Duncan and Vancouver, all four of which cities have promised to send representatives. Metchosin will have a queen on view also, and neighboring municipalities are expected to have either queens or floats entered.

The successful queen will be crowned on Friday morning, May 23, at eleven o'clock. Mr. A. Waddington, conductor of the Esquimalt School Choir, is being asked to have his boys sing at the crowning. School sports will be held on that afternoon, and in the evening there will be a big dance at the Armories. On the following day the parade will be held in the morning and the regatta in the afternoon. It is proposed that street carnivals be held on both Friday and Saturday nights, when the centre of the city would be turned over to King Joy and his retinue of bandsmen.

C.N.R. MAY ACQUIRE ADDITIONAL LINES

Wall Street Says Canadian National Is Considering Taking Over Great Northern Lines in Canada

NEW YORK, March 21.—The New York Herald-Tribune says today:

"Wall Street yesterday reported that the Canadian National Railways were considering taking over the operation of the Canadian lines operated by the Great Northern. It was impossible to obtain confirmation of the contemplated plan. New York officials pointing out that that initiative would come from the company's main headquarters in St. Paul."

The lines said to be involved in the deal include the line running from St. John, North Dakota, to Brandon, Man., and the Midland Railway, running from Gretna to Portage la Prairie, Man.

City & District

Irish Concert—The name of Mrs. Murphy was printed in the account of the Irish concert on St. Patrick's Day instead of that of Mrs. Bridges, who has been the organizer each year of these very popular concerts.

Daughters of England—Princess Alexandre Lodge 18 held a very successful whist drive at the home of Sister Shrimpton Thursday evening, when the following were the lucky winners: Ladies' first, Mrs. Humber; second, Mrs. Fieldhouse; third, Mrs. Tyrrell; gentlemen's first, Mrs. Swan; second, Mr. Swan; third, Mr. Fieldhouse. At the close of the drive dainty refreshments were served by Sister Shrimpton, assisted by the social committee.

To Aid Pipe Band—The United Scottish clubs and societies of Victoria are putting on a grand Scottish entertainment in the High School auditorium on April 4. Mr. J. G. Brown has the programme in hand, and will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ogilvy and a representative committee of the above clubs and societies. The proceeds will be donated to the Victoria Juvenile Pipe Band for the purpose of outfitting the boys with the Highland dress.

Chamber Queen Suggested—A recommendation that the Chamber of Commerce enter a candidate in the May Queen contest is being made to the directors as a result of a meeting of the tourist trade group of the organization yesterday. Mr. H. A. Stevenson suggested that each group of the Chamber might have a representative, but this idea did not meet with favor. There was general approval, however, of the proposal to have a girl in the competition representing the Chamber as a whole.

St. Paul's Lutheran—On Sunday morning, at the 11 o'clock service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Princess Avenue and Chambers Street, the pastor, Rev. R. F. Kibler, will preach on the subject, "Christ and Industry," the third of a series of timely sermons for the Passion season. The Word of God, which holds the solution for every basic human problem, will be brought to bear on the subject. At the mid-week Lenten service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., the pastor will speak on the subject, "Delivered by His Own to Strangers."

Church Union—A very successful meeting of the Women's Guild for the Preservation of the Presbyterian Church was held at the residence of Lady McBride on Tuesday afternoon. A splendid address on the Church Union question was given by the Rev. Mr. Patterson. A number of new membership cards were signed. Mrs. Waram played delightfully on the violin, and Mrs. Longfield, always so popular, contributed two charming solos. The sympathetic accompaniments of Mrs. Warn were greatly appreciated. The next meeting will be held April 1 at Mrs. McKilligan's, on Rockland Ave.

Against Church Union—Reports presented at the meeting of the executive committee of the Presbyterian Church Association held yesterday, at which Dr. T. Miller presided, indicate that a very aggressive campaign is now being waged against the proposed Church Union legislation. Some of the ablest lawyers in the Dominion have charge of the case. It is now confidently expected that notwithstanding what action Parliament may take, the Presbyterian Church is going to continue. In order to strengthen the case against church union, Presbyterians in large numbers are signing cards protesting against coercive legislation. In this way they hope to impress Parliament with the strength of the opposition. These cards may be secured at 406 Pemberton Building, 754 Broughton Street, or 312 Campbell Building.

PROBE HEARS OF HUGE LOAN

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the "little green house on K Street," had, he said, shared in the "split" which accompanied the withdrawal of whisky from Federal warehouses for sale to bootleggers.

As with previous testimony of the sort, it was brought no nearer to Attorney-General Daugherty himself than these two friends.

Mr. Daugherty Not Embarrassed

Goroni told the committee some of the things which, he said, did not come out when he was tried and acquitted of conspiracy to violate the prohibition law in New York. Attorney-General Daugherty in his nightly comment on today's testimony, brought out that he himself was in no way "embarrassed or implicated."

Goroni's whisky "deal" story splashed from the witness stand in a hectic day marked by passing of the "lie" to Mr. Daugherty's counsel by Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana. The latter charged there was "continual besmirching" of committee witnesses and that the committee was being denied evidence from the Ohio bank of which Mr. Daugherty's brother Mal. is president, while Senator Ashurst, Democrat, Arizona, said Howard Nannington, mentioned in Goroni's story and now reported in Paris, had been "spirited away."

Many $1,000 Bills

More $1,000 bills figured in Goroni's story of the whisky transaction. He testified that he had paid $50,000 in bills of that denomination to W. A. Orr, of New York, previously connected with the Dempsey-Carpentier fight film "deal" and also $150,000 to Owen B. Murphy, another New York politician. The payments, Goroni said, were at the rate of $15 a case for permits obtained to get whisky into bootlegger's hands. About 50,000 or 60,000 cases "went through," Goroni said, although he told of paying only $200,000.

Orr told him, Goroni said, that Mannington received a fee of $2 a case, some of which went to Jess Smith, to whom he said he was introduced by Orr as he was a friend of Mr. Daugherty.

The division of the whisky fee of $15 a case, according to Goroni, was $2 to Mannington, $1 to the druggist, $1 to himself, $4 to the prohibition director, fifty cents to a lawyer named L'Esperance, and the balance divided between Orr and Murphy.

Native Burned to Death

PRINCE RUPERT, March 20.—Frederick Wilson, a native of Kispiox, who has been bedridden for some weeks, was burned to death today when his cabin caught fire. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

Under the Clock

City Hall Activities in Brief

The blocking of sewer laterals by roots of trees in the city's boulevards is becoming a serious matter, the Public Works Committee was informed by the chairman, Alderman Sangster, yesterday, when a bill was received for work done on one of the laterals by private parties. In the opinion of the City Solicitor, the city was liable for damages caused in this way. The question of how the cost of clearing out the laterals should be defrayed was dwelt upon by the solicitor in a report on the matter, and he advocated that the expenditure be covered by sewer maintenance.

The city should not wait for the trees to do damage, but take out those which promised to be harmful, said Alderman Woodward.

Appropos of the distance which roots travelled, Alderman Todd pointed out that each year he had to dig a trench in his garden nineteen feet from an elm tree in his neighbor's property in order to cut the roots which threatened his vegetables. The roots were worse than roosters, he smiled. The whole question was laid over until a later meeting.

A letter was received by the committee from City Solicitor Pringle in regard to the making of plans showing the exempted portions of church sites. There were a number of these plans now ready for consideration by the special committee of the Council, he reported. The committee will get to work on this matter immediately.

For the sum of $3,000, City Engineer Preston reported, considerable relief could be given in regard to the flooding from Bowker Creek, complained of by residents in the Oaklands district. Alderman Woodward urged the expenditure of the money. Alderman Sargent said that in future, when anyone wanted to build within the area which floods, he should be induced to trade his property for a reverted lot. It was decided to have a committee negotiate with the complainants with a view to having them trade their property for some held by the city. Alderman Sangster, the chairman, named Aldermen Sergent and Woodward to work with him. Alderman Woodward refused, saying, "I look upon the work as hopeless." Alderman Andros was named in his stead.

Alderman Sangster asked for a special committee to investigate the case of an employee whose dismissal is recommended by the City Engineer. Aldermen Andros and Todd urged that the engineer's recommendation be adopted. Alderman Sangster claimed that the law should be altered so that the engineer could dismiss his own men without reference to the Council. To such a move Alderman Marchant raised objection. It was finally decided to appoint a committee. Aldermen Todd, Ker and Dewar refused to act. Aldermen Woodward, Sargent and Sangster will make the investigation.

The Lands Committee, at a meeting yesterday afternoon, went further into the matter of obtaining lands abutting the Amusement Centre site, but nothing definite was arrived at. The committee will meet again Thursday night.

A flattened bullet and some nails were encountered by the city workmen who for the last four days have been engaged in felling the large native maple at 1415 Gladstone Avenue. The tree measures eleven feet in diameter at its base, and was probably the largest in the city. This species of maple was discovered by Archibald Menzies, botanist to Capt. Vancouver, at Port Discovery, nearly opposite to Victoria, where Vancouver first landed in May, 1792. The authorities say that this tree will not grow further north than Philadelphia on the East coast. They also state that seeds were sent to England by David Douglas in 1812, but that young trees are apt to suffer much from frost. One maple, however, at Boynton, Yorkshire, attained the height of seventy feet and the girth of six feet in sixty years.

SHIP TO BE LINED LOCALLY FOR GRAIN

Shipping Congestion in Vancouver Harbor Results in Decision to Line Roman Prince at Esquimalt

For the second time since the westward movement of grain began a freighter under charter to load wheat at Vancouver will have been lined at Victoria, when the Roman Prince which arrived in Esquimalt harbor for repairs yesterday morning, has her holds prepared at Yarrows, Limited, for the reception of the golden kernels from the elevator bins.

The reason for the decision to line the Roman Prince here is the congestion of shipping in Vancouver harbor.

When the cleaning and painting of the City of Vancouver is completed on Saturday she will be floated from drydock to permit of the entry of the Roman Prince for similar treatment.

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Miss Hanman will be leaving Victoria for a prolonged holiday in May. Appointments should be made without delay.

Wm. Stewart has removed his tailor shop from the Campbell Building to 824 Douglas Street, nearly opposite the Strathcona Hotel.

Dr. Hugh Clarke, dentist, 413-14 Central Building. Hours by appointment. Phone 1558.

Madame Joseph, Foot Specialist, 202 Campbell Building. Phone 2854. Hours, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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SOUTH VANCOUVER NAMES ITS CANDIDATE

Mr. Jack W. Cornett, Former Councillor of Municipality, Will Be the Conservative in Field

VANCOUVER, March 21. — Mr. Jack W. Cornett, ex-councillor of South Vancouver and a well-known shoe merchant of Vancouver, has been nominated as the Liberal-Conservative candidate for the district of South Vancouver. The nominating convention was held last evening in Elks' Hall, Fraser Avenue, South Vancouver. The convention was very largely attended and most enthusiastic. The convention was presided over by Mr. J. E. Merryfield, the provincial organizer of the party.

Following the nomination a public meeting was held, when addresses were given by the candidate, Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., the leader of the party in the Province, and Mr. R. L. Maitland, president of the Provincial Liberal-Conservative Association.

The leader, Mr. Bowser, dealt with the subject of the personal charges that had been levelled against him by the third party, and on the conclusion of his address was given hearty applause by the gathering.

Dreaded Meal Time Says Peterborough Man

"Everything I Ate Was Like Poison to Me, and My Suffering Nearly Set Me Wild," Says Lucas—Tanlac Changed This

"Well, sir, buying Tanlac was the best investment I ever made, for it built up my health and strength to where I haven't a complaint in the world," is the characteristic statement of Thomas Lucas, 325 Aylmer Street, Peterborough, Ont.

"Before I took Tanlac a year ago I was always in trouble with my stomach. My appetite was poor, but eating was almost like taking poison anyway, for my suffering nearly set me wild. I was so nervous I heard the clock strike every hour some nights, and I got up mornings weak and worn-out.

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Increased business in our House Furnishing Departments has necessitated certain improvements and alterations in these sections, greatly facilitating our displays and generally improving the service. We invite you to pay a special visit to the Third Floor today to see our wonderful variety of beautiful draperies. The following are a few of the many attractive values which we are offering:

Tape Edge Curtain Voile
Fine Voiles, with tape edge, in white only. Per yard ..... **35¢**

Striped Marquisette
Decidedly new is this Marquisette in new stripe effects, in white, cream or ecru; 36 inches wide. Per yard ..... **22¢**

Colored Bordered Curtain Scrims
Neat Curtain Scrims with striped borders, in blue, rose and gold. Per yard ..... **22¢**

Cross-Bar Check Marquisette
A very dainty Cross-Bar Marquisette, in cream or white; 36 inches wide. Per yard ..... **29¢**

Drapery Fabrics
Including Scrims and Marquisettes and Cross-Bar and Bordered Scrims, in white, cream and ecru. Will make up into attractive Spring curtains. Per yard ..... **25¢**

—3rd Floor

A Hundred Window Shades at 73c Each

The bright sunny days of Spring are sure to show up the defects in your window shades. Now is the time to replace them with new ones. Today we are offering just a hundred green opaque shades, size 37 inches by 6 feet, complete with brackets and shade pull, for the special price of **73c**

—3rd Floor

Saturday Specials in Drug Sundries

Listerine, value $1.00 for ..... **88¢**
Sal Hepatica, value $1.00 for **83¢**
Wilson's Invalid Wine, value $1.50 for **$1.23**
Sloan's Liniment, value 35c, **28¢**
Glyco Thymoline, value 35c, **28¢**
Pebeco Tooth Paste, value 50c for ..... **38¢**
Mennen's Shaving Cream, value 35c for ..... **28¢**
Campana's Italian Balm, value 40c for ..... **33¢**
Palmolive Shampoo, value 50c for 3 ..... **38¢**
Elcaya Vanishing Cream, value 65c for ..... **49¢**
Brilliantine, violet and rose, value 40¢ for ..... **28¢**
Peroxide, value 25c for ..... **18¢**
Extract of Malt, value 65c ..... **48¢**
Castile Soap, value 5c, 7 for **25¢**
Castile Soap, value 25c for ..... **18¢**
Lysol, 4 ozs. for ..... **19¢**
Creolin, 8 ozs. for ..... **19¢**

—Main Floor

Week-End Groceries and Provisions

Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **52¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.53**
Hudson's Bay Company's Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **50¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.48**
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... **19¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **55¢**
Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ..... **33¢**
Finest Quality Side Bacon, per lb. ..... **32¢**
Swift's Premium Peameal Back Bacon, per lb. ..... **48¢**
Little Pig Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... **23¢**
2 lbs. for ..... **45¢**
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb. ..... **55¢**
Prime Old Canadian Cheese, per lb. ..... **32¢**
Canadian Stilton Cheese, lb., **40¢**
Hudson's Bay Company's Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. ..... **55¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.60**
Hudson's Bay Company's Freshly Roasted Coffee, per lb. ..... **35¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.00**
Finest Quality B. C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack **$2.05**
Pure Extracted Honey, in glass jars. Each ..... **25¢**
Five Roses Brand Freshly Milled Rolled Oats, in large 8-lb. bags at ..... **48¢**
Choice Quality Singapore Sliced Pineapple in Syrup, per tin ..... **18¢**
2 tins for ..... **35¢**

Fruit and Vegetables

Imported Tomatoes, per lb. ..... **35¢**
Local Cucumbers, each, **30¢**
and ..... **40¢**
Globe Artichokes, each ..... **20¢**
California Asparagus, per lb., **35¢**
Head Lettuce, each ..... **15¢**
Green Onions, 3 bunches for **10¢**
Local Cauliflower, each ..... **20¢**
and ..... **30¢**
Imported Celery, per stick ..... **15¢**
Local Leeks, 3 bundles for ..... **10¢**
Florida Grapefruit ..... 2 for **25¢**
California Grapefruit ..... 5 for **25¢**
Fancy Dessert Apples, 3 lbs. **25¢**
Navel Oranges, per doz., **20¢, 30¢, 40¢** and ..... **50¢**
Sunkist Lemons, per doz. ..... **25¢**

—Lower Main Floor

Candy Specials for Today

H. B. Company's Hand-Rolled Chocolates, including assorted creams and hard centres. Special at, per lb. ..... **47¢**

Black Mint Balls. Special at, per lb. ..... **37¢**

H. B. Company's Jelly Beans, regular 40c. Special at, per lb., **33¢**

—Main Floor

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—2nd Floor

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—Main Floor

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—Mezzanine Floor

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—Main Floor

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With ribbed tops and wearing parts well reinforced. Shown in camel, beaver, navy, brown, silver, suede and pongee; also in black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair **$2.00**

Pure Thread Silk Hose
With wide hem tops and pointed heels. In white, beaver, beige and nude. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair, **$2.00**

—Main Floor

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French Organdie Stationery
In suede and linen finish, white only; 24 sheets of notepaper and 24 envelopes. Per box ..... **50¢**

Hudsonia Linen Notepaper
In ¼-lb. packets. Per packet ..... **35¢**

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—Main Floor

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—2nd Floor

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Back in all-wool, front in silk and wool, cross-over effect, fastens at side with three pearl buttons; come in silver and white and navy and white.
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—2nd Floor

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—Main Floor

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—Main Floor

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—2nd Floor

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With two pearl button fasteners, oversewn seams and self points. Shown in tan, grey, brown, black and white. Sizes 5½ to 7. Per pair **$3.95**

12-Button Length French Kid Gloves
With three pearl button fasteners, oversewn seams and self points. In tan, brown, grey, black and white. Sizes 5½ to 7. Per pair **$4.95**

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—Main Floor

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Combination Salad

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Social Events

Successful Guest Tea

On Thursday afternoon a delightful guest tea was held in the church parlors of the First Congregational Church. A cordial welcome was extended to the visitors by Rev. A. K. McMinn, after which a pleasing musical programme was rendered. The following artists contributed selections: Miss Kathryn Bradshaw and Miss Porter, a violin duet, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Ivor Brake; Mrs. Hanbidge, vocal solo, accompanied by Mrs. Jones; Miss Kathryn Bradshaw, violin solo, accompanied by Miss Alexe Bradshaw; Mrs. L. Walker, recitation; while piano solos were given by Mr. Ivor Brake and Miss Alexe Bradshaw. The tea tables were dainty with their floral decorations of rose tulips and shamrocks. Among those who acted as hostesses were Mrs. C. H. Walker, Mrs. Ozard, Mrs. McMinn, Mrs. Geo. Carter, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Clifford Walker, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Tinker, Mrs. Curtis, Miss Mulvey and Miss Braik.

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Dance Hostess

Miss Grace Trimble was a hostess to a most delightful dance on Thursday evening. Heaton's orchestra supplied the music. The following were present: Miss Elsia Michaelis, Misses Ila and Marjorie Raymond, Misses Clair and Jean Moody, Miss Marjorie Oates, Miss Marjorie Campbell, Miss Violet Josephs, Miss Molly Birch, Miss Helen Starr, Miss Ila Brandon, Miss Barbara Gibson, Miss Betty Savanah, Miss Doris Pilmley, Miss Dorothy Pendray, Miss Winnie Lee, Miss Mildred Clark, Miss Dorothy Hicks, Miss Dolly Spencer, Miss Margaret McMillan, Miss Jenny Turner, Miss Peggy Foster, Misses Beryl and Lenora Hyndman, and Messrs. Irving McDermott, Charlie and Aubrey Walls, Harold Henderson, Arthur Wiley, Prescott, Moody, Tim Cole, Arthur Partridge, Walter and Cecil Sheppherd, Arthur Little, Jack Birch, Godwin Brandon, Eric Holland, Maurice Humber, Ed. Cooper, Ernie Money, Alfred Parvell, Frank Mathieson, Fred Bartholemew, Russel and Dawson Turner, Ben McMillan, Chuminie Gilwell and Brock Whitney.

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Bridge and Mah Jong Host

Mrs. George Johnston entertained at bridge and mah jong yesterday afternoon at her home on Chamberlain Street, when her guests included Mrs. Gore, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. John Irving, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Lorne Campbell, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. Chisholm Fraser, Mrs. Ridewood, the Misses Galt, Mrs. Eaton, Miss Alice Pooley, Mrs. Green, the Misses McLimont, Mrs. Harold Robertson. The tea table, which was prettily decorated with Spring flowers, was presided over by Mrs. Johnston and Miss May Newcombe.

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Celebrates Birthday

On Thursday evening Miss Bertha Foxgord held a birthday party at her home on Gladstone Avenue. The evening was spent in playing games, dancing and singing, and a very delightful time was enjoyed by all present. The guests included Miss Birks, Miss Nixon, Miss Lee, Miss White, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Foxgord, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Foxgord and Messrs. White, Linley Morley, Owen, Williams and Bassett.

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Visitor From Calgary

Rev. Arthur Barner, of Calgary, superintendent of Methodist Indian missions for all Canada, has been in the city a part of the week, the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. A. P. McDowell, and his mother, Mrs. M. A. Barner, Helmcken Street. He completes his annual tour of inspection of missions by a visit to Clo-oose this week-end.

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Visit Victoria

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cewan, W. G. Paine and Miss Paine are a party of railway officials who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Charlton on the liner President Jefferson from Seattle to Victoria. They will spend several days here. They are guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Girl Guides Assisting

In connection with the drawing-room meeting which is taking place at Government House on Wednesday next in aid of the Near East Relief, a few of the Girl Guides have volunteered to assist in the tearoom and in other ways.

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Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. William Rolls announce the marriage of their eldest daughter, Gertrude, to Mr. Archie Muir, of 406 Vancouver Street, which took place in Seattle on March 17, 1923, the Rev. Dr. Mathews officiating.

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Return to "Hillhaven"

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill have returned to their home, "Hillhaven," after spending the past six weeks in California, where they visited Coronado, San Francisco and Los Angeles. They returned yesterday morning.

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Nap Island Visitor

Mrs. J. S. Harvey, of Nap Island, was a visitor in the city on Thursday. On her return to her home she was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Gaudin, who will spend the next few months at Nap Island.

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At James Bay Hotel

Colonel J. Bryant, of Fulford Harbor, Ganges, is spending a week in the Capital and is a guest at the James Bay Hotel.

Return to Capital

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Here From Vancouver

Mrs. E. P. Bramer is a visitor in the city from Vancouver and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lee, Newport Avenue, Oak Bay.

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Vancouver Visitor

Mr. E. R. Gordon is over from Vancouver to direct activities in the drive of the Retail Merchants' Association.

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Here From Vancouver

Mrs. E. P. Dreimner, of Vancouver, is visiting with Mrs. A. W. Lee, 318 Newport Avenue.

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Lady Lougheed and Miss Dorothy Lougheed, of Calgary, are among the guests registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Goes to Nanaimo

Mrs. Gerard Harris is visiting Nanaimo, where she is the guest of Mrs. Victor Meakin.

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Vancouver Visitor

Mrs. James Forsyth, of Vancouver, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Andrew Stewart.

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Back From Skeena

Mr. George Johnston has returned to his home in this city from the Skeena.

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Arriving in Victoria

Mrs. Colbourne and her brother, Mr. Sholto Gillespie, are arriving in Victoria today from England.

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At Empress Hotel

Mr. and Madame Norminton are guests at the Empress, having come over from Vancouver yesterday.

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Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White left yesterday for their home in Saskatchewan.

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Back From Somenos

Mrs. Hubert Savage and daughter have returned from a visit with friends at Somenos, B.C.

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Goes to Vancouver

Mr. J. C. Pendray has gone to Vancouver on business.

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Away for Week-End

Mr. F. Ashley-Sparks has gone to Vancouver for the week-end.

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Visits Cumberland

Mrs. Dixon is spending a few days visiting friends in Cumberland.

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Here From Winnipeg

Mr. and Mrs. Godwin Ford, of Winnipeg are visiting in the city.

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Undergoes Operation

Mrs. George Stewart, of Keating, underwent an operation at one of the city hospitals on Thursday. Her many friends will hope for her speedy recovery.

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Returns From Cassidy

Mrs. A. McKenzie, of Saanichton, has just returned home after a visit to Cassidy, B.C.

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Will Be Hostess

The Misses Beatrice Butler, Ruby Young, Hazel Lamont and Edna Butler will be hostesses at the Keating Institute card party on March 29.

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From Duncan

Mr. and Mrs Alex. Rey, of Duncan, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Butler, Keating.

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Visits City Friends

Miss Grace Sluggett, of Brentwood, spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends in Victoria.

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J.B.A.A. MEMBERS HOSTS AT DANCE

Many Guests Enjoy Charming Function Held at Empress Hotel Last Night by Local Oarsmen

Charming in every detail, and attended by well over three hundred guests was the dance held last night at the Empress Hotel by members of the James Bay Athletic Association. Nothing which the committee in charge could have added to the affair for the pleasure of the guests had been overlooked, and the dance was one of the most successful social undertakings held by the J.B.A.A. this season.

The dance was held under the patronage of His Worship Mayor Hayward and Mrs. Hayward, Brig.-Gen. and Mrs. R. P. Clarke, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cameron; and members of the committee in charge included Messrs. O. C. Walls, Frank Frost, Eric Fisher, P. D. Roberts, Brock Whitney.

One of the features of the affair was the music supplied by the University of Washington orchestra, which excelled itself in the catchy and splendid selections rendered, necessitating innumerable encores. Two musical hits, composed by the leader of the orchestra, Mr. Graham French, were particularly well received, and the composer was accorded an enthusiastic ovation. During intermissions Mr. Trevor-Ford kindly supplied the dance numbers.

Florence Nightingale Chapter Entertains at Delightful Bridge Party

The Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., entertained at a most delightful bridge party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mellor, Oxford Street, on Wednesday evening. The reception rooms were a profusion of daffodils and Spring flowers.

The prizes were won by Mrs. Hobbis, Mr. R. Burns, Mrs. Hing and Mr. Lillie.

The vocal solos rendered by Mr. L. U. Conyers were greatly enjoyed, and Mr. Stanley Peele moved a hearty vote of thanks to the host and hostess for their kindness, and also gave an interesting talk on the life of Florence Nightingale.

Among those present were: Mrs. Bradford, Mrs. J. Gorman, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Bing, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. A. Genn, Mrs. McAdam, Mrs. H. Prior, Mrs. Pocock, Mrs. Catterall, Mrs. McAllister, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Errington, Mrs. Irvine, Mrs. R. Smith, Miss Rose McKenna, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bayliss, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Burnes, Mr. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burns, Mrs. Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Conyers, Mr. and Mrs. H. Geake, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Geiger, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hobbis, Mr. and Mrs. Hyslop, Mr. J. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Humber, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. U. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCaw, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moriarty, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Peele, Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton, Mr. Fred White, and many others.

The committee who were responsible for the arrangements included Mrs. H. A. Humber, Mrs. Fred Bayliss, Mrs. F. J. Hall, Jr., and Mrs. G. W. Lillie.

USE CHURCH RADIO

Tourist Group of Chamber of Commerce Secures Once Weekly Broadcasting Privilege

The tourist group of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday decided to accept with thanks the offer of the Centennial Methodist Church of the free use of the Centennial radio plant for broadcasting. As an expression of the group's appreciation of the arrangement, its members made Dr. Clem Davies, pastor of the church, a member of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Raymond Wilder, executive secretary of the church, endorsed the invitation extended by Dr. Davies. It was generally recognized that this concession would prove very useful for publicity purposes, as the range of the plant extends as far as New York and Mexico, and many thousands of people could hear the information it sent out.

Acetic acid, a by-product of hardwood manufacture, is used in making white lead.

HUDSON'S BAY GREETS NEW SPRING SEASON

Elaborate Decorations and Window Displays in Local Departmental Store Arouse Public Interest

Heralding the approach of Spring with the latest models in ladies' wear, millinery, furs, footwear and accessories, the Hudson's Bay Company has decorated its windows in a striking and appropriate manner, causing much favorable and flattering comment from the many patrons who have attended the Spring opening at the local departmental store.

The large corner window facing Douglas and Fisgard Streets is particularly artistic. A background of grey stone throws into relief the panels of blossom-pink, and the Spring atmosphere is furthered by the tall baskets containing branches of apple blossoms. The floor is marble-tiled, and a sun dial occupies the centre of the picture. The scene is exceptionally attractive at night when electric rays give the original representation of a setting sun with charming effect.

The window display contains the newest Spring styles in costumes, gowns, millinery, footwear, featuring the latest variations of strap shoes and sandals; Spring furs, which are most popular this season; and many of those charming little accessories so essential in giving just the right touch of chic to the toilette of the smart woman. Another window contains a wide display of children's wear.

Hundreds of patrons thronged the store on Thursday, the opening day of the Spring season, and visitors to the second floor were delightfully surprised by the presentation of a bouquet of daffodils, accompanied by the company's compliments.

Today is the last day of the opening season, but the store will, nevertheless, retain its beautiful and lavish Spring decorations which are employed throughout the building, and are in themselves well worth a visit of inspection.

DAISY CHAIN CHAPTER

At a meeting of the Daisy Chain Chapter, I.O.D.E., held on Monday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, Pemberton Building, Mrs. J. E. Umbach was unanimously elected Regent, while other officers elected were: First vice-president, Miss Alexe Bradshaw; second vice-president, Miss Ena Henderson; secretary, Miss Dorothy Geake; treasurer, Miss Millicent Umbach; standard-bearer, Miss Dorothy Allen.

Ten new members were elected at the meeting. Plans formulated by the girls presage an active and successful year for this Chapter, together with a much increased membership.

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WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY

Miles Sheridan is deeply in love with **Terry Desmond**, unbelievably innocent, who returns his love.
Betty Sheridan, Miles' wife, who has been unfaithful to him, is now in Algiers, waiting for her husband to join her. She meets her former lover,
Paul di Salvano, a handsome Italian, who has deserted her for
Rose Callahan, a somewhat ordinary young heiress. Betty warns Paul that she will make trouble for him with Rose's father if he does not give the girl up.
Eustace Nazlo, a wealthy Greek, long in love with Terry, is anxious to avoid a divorce between the Sheridans.

INSTALLMENT LXXXVIII

To Paradise

Pressing her against his breast, he wished ardently that he could press the life out of her lungs. It would save trouble!

"You oughtn't to have believed things about me, without proof," he reproached her.

"I didn't believe—entirely."

"Yet you would have sent my letters—my poor letters in which I poured out my heart to you—sent them to a vulgar old beast like Callahan."

"I had to have something to hold over you."

"Would you really have carried out your threat?"

"Yes, I think I would. I'm sure I would. But ye needn't worry about that now. We'll have over an hour together before Estelle gets back from her ball. Let's be happy. I need it!"

"God knows I do," echoed Salvano. "I came to you for that. I've had an awful night! Betty, I've told Rose that our engagement must be off. I haven't tackled her father yet. That's for tomorrow! But I'm a nervous wreck—or I would be, except for you. I hope I'm not a coward physically. I did some fairly decent things in the war. But I'm not brave mentally, carissima Bettina. Help me! Give me back to myself. Give me courage for tomorrow and all the days to come, before you and I can belong to each other."

"What do you want me to do?" Betty wanted to know.

"Can't you guess, darling? Let us have one of the old dream nights—nights of heaven."

"Cocaine?"

"Yes, for us both. Think of it, Betty—think of it! You remember?"

"Oh, I do—I do! I've remembered too well sometimes. But I've dropped the stuff for months, you know. I haven't any here."

"I have. Bettina, my beautiful one, I brought it, in the hope. And the hypodermic. Will you? For love of me?"

She hesitated a few seconds, then said, "Yes, I will! I've my own boudoir on board. It's next to my cabin. There's a great divan there, with heaps of cushions. We can dream. Estelle won't knock at my door when she comes on board. I told her not. But your boat—"

"The man will wait. It doesn't matter to him how long. This is nothing to Arabs. Bettina—happiness for the first time in all these black weeks, just when I thought it was ended for me—forever!"

"Let's go into the boudoir," she whispered. "It isn't really safe out here. Someone might pass."

The curtains of the pretty room were drawn. Betty locked the outer door, and the door of her cabin that opened to the corridor, lest after all Estelle might have been bored into returning early, and forget instructions. Salvano kissed the willing lips many times, his own lips curiously cold. Then he took the white arm between his hands and kissed that. A kiss on the arm had always been the preface! The door of heaven was now about to open for them both. Betty flung her gold mesh bag on the table.

"There, I'm ready!" she sighed. "Send me to Paradise, and come with me yourself."

Paolo did not answer. He kissed her arm once more, then pinched it slightly, to numb sensation.

"Now!" he said. Gathering her up as if she were a child, he laid her on the divan. Betty watched, through drooping lashes, as he took from his breast pocket a little gold box. His dark, strong hands were trembling slightly; but she did not notice that. She was looking at the box, with a smile of recognition. She had seen it often before! And she smiled up at Paolo.

He drew from the box a hypodermic syringe, and lit a candle on the desk by, a small candle meant for use in sealing letters. When it was alight, he passed the needle through the flame. Betty held up her white arm, still smiling. But Paolo's face was grave. Under a fall of crystal-beaded lace, his eager eyes found a few tiny lumps so small they could just be seen by the naked eye. Only just, but they could be seen! Then he jabbed the needle under the delicate skin.

Betty gave a faint cry. "O-oh!" she scolded. "You hurt me! You never hurt me so much before!"

"It's over, carissima," he soothed. "Quite over."

"Ah!" Betty sighed. And after a moment of silence: "How wonderful it is! Already! . . . How quickly it steals over me! I'd almost forgotten. Now it's your turn, Paolo. Roll up your sleeve."

"Not till you've closed your sweet eyes," he said. "It's not a pretty sight for them, you know. I don't like you to see."

He bent over her, and kissed her eyelids shut, kissed them again and again. When at last he lifted his head, the lashes lay still and dark on her cheeks. The color was draining away from her face. Her lips parted. She smiled happily, stirred without opening her eyes, and nestled down into perfect peace. Perfect peace!

Paolo did not do as Betty had bidden him, and roll up his sleeve. He stood staring at her for a few minutes his face like a mask of stone, only his eyes alive. When she ceased to move, he replaced the hypodermic in its case, picked up the gold mesh bag on the table, and thrust in the apparatus, which, with a tiny bottle, he wrapped in a small lace-edged handkerchief. Then, very gently—though his eyes were not gentle—he placed the bag under Betty's hand, closing her fingers over the chain.

Still, he waited to see if she stirred again. But she lay motionless as one dead, except for the breaths that came and went.

Paolo switched off all the shaded lamps in the boudoir, leaving only a dim pink-light in the state-room adjoining, the door of which was ajar. For another moment he stood in the dusk and thought. Then he unlocked the door which led to the deck, opened it resolutely, removed the key, locked the door on the outside and threw back the key through the open window. It landed on the divan, close to Betty's side; for Paolo was quite a good shot. He was satisfied with his aim—satisfied indeed with everything, since these things had to be. And when he had contrived to pull the window along its grooves until it was within an inch or two of being closed, he went away softly as he had come.

Sitting on the bottom step of the ladder that was washed gently with the tiny waves, he signalled to his boatman with a lighted cigarette.

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Letters to the Editor

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The Name "Place"

Sir,—In your article in The Colonist a few days ago, you kindly refrained from giving the name of the worthy alderman who made such ridiculous statements about the use of the name "Place" as the name of any street or road in a city or village in the Old Country. For this act of courtesy on your part the gentleman in question—whoever he may be—ought to feel deeply grateful to you, as if you had given us his name, I feel sure he would have been the laughing stock of all English people, and anyone who knows the Old Country, who resides in Victoria at the present time.

It is a long time since one read so many mis-statements and wrong information compressed into such a small space, and where our alderman gets his information or ideas from it is difficult to imagine. I should like to give a direct contradiction to every statement he makes, and to say the name "Place" is quite as nice and respectable as any other name in the Old Country. I know England pretty well and most of the large cities and towns, and in all of them some of the most important streets are distinguished by the name "Place." Nearly all of them have their Market Place, which, as its name implies, is in the busy part of the town and where lots of business is transacted.

In Leeds, Yorkshire, for instance, "Place" is a very popular definition. There is Park Place, wherein are situated large showrooms and warehouses, the centre for the cloth and woolen merchants, where thousands of dollars worth of business is transacted every day. York Place, a fine street containing solicitors' offices and auctioneers' rooms and motor auction marts. Oxford Place, in which is situated one of the largest and most influencial places of worship, known throughout the country, viz., Oxford Place Chapel (Wesleyan). These are all in the very centre of the city, and just a few out of the many that come into my mind as I write. Then if one goes out into the residential parts of the city there are hundreds of streets that are distinguished by the name of "Place." In London, surely our friend must have heard or read of the Langham Hotel in Langham Place, or of Ely Place, or Grosvenor Place, with its splendid houses of the nobility and gentry, or of Northumberland Place; and if space did permit, hundreds of other instances might be quoted. So it is in every large centre of population.

As everyone knows, unfortunately, slums and blind alleys, such as I hope Victoria may never know, abound in all the large towns and cities in the poorer quarters, but the name given to them is invariably Yard, Court, Alley, Passage, etc., but very rarely Place. For instance, Smith's Yard, Crown Court, Blind Alley, North Passage, and so on.

Perhaps you may be able to find room for these few lines, which may help to smooth the feeling, if any such there be, of any one who may reside in a "Place," and may get a wrong impression of the situation from the remarks of our sadly misinformed and misguided alderman—whoever he may be— or who receive correspondence from the Old Country in which the address contains the name "Place."

In conclusion, I would venture to suggest to the worthy alderman, that he might just take a trip over to the Old Country, see the exhibition, etc. We here in Victoria will endeavor to get along without him during his absence, and if he will just keep his eyes and ears open I think he will be able to learn quite a few things, and on his return when he again has occasion to speak of the Old Country, he will not make such a big blunder as he certainly does in the remarks you attribute to him in Wednesday's Colonist.

I wonder who he is?

J. E. JOWITT,
812 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.,
March 14, 1924.

Daylight Saving

Sir,—I see by Tuesday's paper that the City Council has turned down Alderman Todd's resolution against Daylight Saving being observed this year. It appears that they are going to take two weeks to think about it. According to the same report, Alderman Ker says that "it is not human nature to vote intelligently on taxation." It is to be hoped that this will not apply to Daylight Saving, when it comes up for final decision. Perhaps after two weeks of mental exercise, they will be able to vote intelligently on a question that involves the welfare of all school children. Youngsters do not make up their hours of sleep by sending them to bed an hour earlier and robbing them of the amount of healthy play that that hour affords. On the contrary, they resent it and stay awake long past their usual bedtime, and have to be roused out of a sound sleep in the morning to be in time for school, apparently just to provide an aggressive and selfish minority, with additional time for amusement.

As regards the mothers, I might say that I have not, as yet, met a thoughtful, intelligent mother who is not opposed to the measure. It might help the City Council to vote intelligently on this matter if their attention was drawn to the fact, that at the convention of the B.C. School Trustees' Association, held at Duncan, last October, a resolution was passed unanimously condemning the observance of "Advanced Time." (Another plea for consideration for the school children of this Province), and it did not take them two weeks to decide on the matter either. I think that about two minutes would be nearer the mark.

Again, Mr. Editor, is it not a fact, that the Government is spending large sums annually on schemes for the promotion of child welfare? Then why, in the name of common sense, do they enact or allow to be enacted measures that go a long way towards rendering these schemes abortive? Also, there are the protests of the farmers, dairymen and poultrymen, who, as representing the basic industry of the country, should surely be entitled to some consideration in this matter.

In conclusion, I would venture to suggest that, if the city dwellers want an hour extra in the evening, it could be arranged by business hours commencing an hour earlier. This would avoid the confusion in "times" that has resulted in the past.

J. W. HIGHAM,
R.M.D. 1 (Luxton), Victoria, B.C.,
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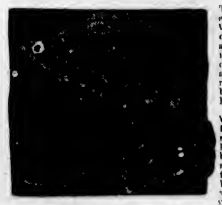

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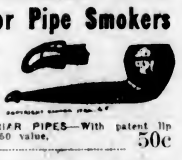

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Roller Hockey Won By Colonist's Team

Morning Paper's Representatives Put It All Over The Times, Winning Semi-Final Championship Game by Seven to One—Blue Midgets Defeat the Reds by Almost Equally Big Margin at Willows

THE Colonist roller hockey team defeated The Times sextette in the semi-final game for the senior city roller hockey championship last night at the Willows by a score of 7 to 1. The game was rather one-sided throughout, the winners showing a marked superiority in practically every department. The first game of the evening for the midget championship of the city, between the V.I.A.A. Blues and the V.I.A.A. Reds, was won by the Blues by a score of 6 to 1.

By winning last night's fixture, the Colonists win the right to meet the V.I.A.A. Hornets in the final for the senior championship of Victoria, while the V.I.A.A. Blues will have to hold the Reds down in another fixture in order to cop the championship.

The first game, between the Blues and the Reds, was a walkover for the former. The Blues started a fast pace and rushed in three goals in quick succession, and kept the puck in their opponents' territory practically the whole game. Howard, for the winners, gave a splendid exhibition on the wing, and was responsible for four of his team's counters. Albie Davies and Walker played hard for the losers, but were unable to break through the Blues' defence.

The Line-Up

V.I. Blues		V.I. Reds
N. Wallace	Goal	A. Smith
Tiny Cross	Defence	Basil Peden
J. McConnell	Defence	N. Billingsley
Jumbo Davies	Centre	Albie Davies
R. Rickinson	Forward	John Dick
H. Howard	Forward	J. Walker
H. McLair	Forward	McAllister
Lawson	Forward	———
McLaren	Forward	———

Summary

First Period—Howard, 4:00; Howard, 3:50; Howard, 6.

Second Period—Lawson, 5:00.

Third Period—Howard, 4:00; Jumbo Davies, 8:20; McAllister, 4:50.

Penalties—None.

A Fast Start

The second game between the Colonist and Times, started with a fast clip. Both goalies were tested with some long ones, and McConnell put the Colonists in the lead when he beat Mitchell with a hot one from close in. A few seconds later, McConnell duplicated with a long one from centre. Mawhinney and McConnell added two more to the Colonists' total after two fine individual efforts.

The Times boys seemed to get their feet better in the second period, and rushed the Colonists hard. Westendale, in goal, made several fine saves, and Zulck scored the Times' only counter when he pushed the puck in during a scramble around the goal. McConnell beat Mitchell with a hard close in shot, and things began to get a little rough. Mawhinney and Kesson being sent off for hard checking.

The Colonists started a fast pace in the final frame, and Bothwell counted with a long shot from near centre. Things began to get decidedly rough, and Referee Cummings was kept busy handing out penalties, Bissell, McPhee and McConnell going off. A few minutes before the period ended, Mawhinney scored again with a shot that completely fooled Mitchell.

For the winners, McConnell, Mawhinney and Westendale, in goal, turned in fine games, while Zulck and Kesson worked hard for the losers. George Cummings refereed to the satisfaction of everybody.

The line-up was as follows:

The Line-Up

Colonists		Times
Westendale	Goal	Mitchell
Bothwell	Defence	Kesson
Delahunty	Defence	Bissell
Mawhinney	Centre	Zulck
McConnell	Forward	A. Kesson
McPhee	Forward	T. Whiteley
Bryant	Sub	Wells
Hebden	Sub	Brooks
———	Sub	Nute

Summary

First Period—McConnell, :25; McConnell, 1:20; Mawhinney, 5:30; McConnell, 7:00.

Second Period—Zulck, 6:30; McConnell, 11:00.

Third Period—Bothwell, 4:20; Mawhinney, 9:00.

Penalties—Mawhinney, 2:00; A. Kesson, 2:00; Bissell, 1:00; McPhee, 1:00; McConnell, 1:00; Delahunty, 1:00; Bissell, 1:00.

TENNIS TODAY

With the promise of a very successful season ahead play will commence for the year on the courts of the Kingston Street Lawn Tennis Club this afternoon. The courts are in first class condition, having been given a good deal of attention during recent weeks. There is a considerable increase in the membership of the club over the number of players last season.

Tea will be served by the ladies of the club during the course of the afternoon.

This season the practice which ruled formerly whereby the club supplied balls has been abandoned and hereafter members must provide their own. Balls, however, will be on sale at the club grounds at cost price.

INDOOR BASEBALL

Five Clubs Enter League This Year—Organization Meeting on Wednesday Next

That the City Indoor Baseball League will exist during the present season was demonstrated last night when five clubs sanctioned their entry. The clubs represented at last night's meeting were as follows: Hillcrests, Fifth Regiment, C. G. A.; Hudson's Bay, Garrison and the Y. M. C. A. Two of last year's clubs, Esquimalt and the Empires, were not represented, but both teams are said to be willing to cast their lot with this league. The next meeting is called for Wednesday, March 27, at 8 p.m., in the Y. M. C. A., when all teams who are contemplating an entry must have a representative present. The election of officers for the present season will take place at this meeting.

BRITISH GOLFERS WIN

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 21.—Havers and Ockenden defeated Bobby Jones and F. Adair in their four-ball match at the Century Club here this afternoon by five and four. The play was over 18 holes.

UPLANDS GOLF CLUB DRAW FOR FOURSOMES

Following is the draw, with starting times, for the mixed foursomes Leap Year competition to be played at Uplands Golf Club tomorrow:

At 9:55 a.m.—Miss Trenchard and A. Lawrie and Mrs. Barton and J. Macallan.

At 10 a.m.—Miss Hiscocks and J. Caven and Mrs. Dixon and S. H. de Carteret.

At 10:05 a.m.—Mrs. Carr and Dr. Young and Miss E. Thomas and G. S. Carr.

At 10:10 a.m.—Miss Copeland and H. Peachey and Mr. and Mrs. Pocock.

At 10:15 a.m.—Mrs. Foulis and J. H. Edmonds and Mr. and Mrs. Hepburn.

At 10:20 a.m.—Mrs. Wilding and A. V. Price and Miss Fowkes and R. Foulis.

At 10:25 a.m.—Miss K. Wilson and M. H. Fairbairn and Miss Kinloch and W. A. R. Hadley.

At 10:30 a.m.—Mr. and Mrs. Staden and Miss M. E. Young and W. P. Unsworth.

At 10:35—Mr. and Mrs. Hibberson and partner and P. Austin.

At 11:30 a.m.—Miss Mason and R. L. Challoner and Miss Wolfenden and R. J. Dareua.

French Premier Makes Friends of Sportsmen

PARIS, March 21.—Premier Poincare made himself solid with the lovers of sports and athletics in France when he eliminated from his fiscal measures today an article taxing the gate receipts at outdoor athletic and sporting meets.

The general comment is that the move will not hurt the government's chances at the next election.

The Making of a Golf Champion

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By WALTER HAGEN

Former American, British and French Open Champion, twice American titleholder, and present holder of the North and South open and the Florida open and Texas open.

Chapter XII—Old Hats for Luck

I have never been much of a believer in good and bad luck in golf as applied to the actual mechanics of play. After that tournament at Deal in 1920, however, as I mentioned in my last article, I began to see that there was a varying degree of chance, or luck, which had to be taken into consideration. Sometimes the breaks are with you and sometimes against you, but I don't attribute this to any supernatural intervention. It arises, I think, from vagaries of temperament, which every athlete experiences, or from external conditions, such as sudden changes in temperature—wind, rain, heat—and the hundred and one minor accidents that can always occur.

All professional golfers recognize this margin of chance, and many of them, probably feeling their impotence to combat it, have developed queer hunches and superstitions in regard to it. There is more or less superstition, as a matter of fact, in every sport, but there is more of it among tournament players in golf than in any game within my knowledge, and I have indulged in a good deal of baseball and other lines of sport in my day.

This strange catering to chance bobs up everywhere, and most of the time without a player realizing that he is courting Dame Fortune. Every golfer has a lucky club, a lucky golf bag, a pair of lucky shoes or a dozen and one things with which he can associate a good break in the game. I know some tournament players who wear entirely new clothes when playing except for their headgear, and they go out on the links with the worst looking hats or caps imaginable. If asked the reason for this, they would be forced to admit that it is because under that old hat a couple of tournaments or important matches were won.

Women Favor Hat Superstition

I do not think the men folk are as superstitious about hats as the women. Some of the women are strong for funny looking sky-pieces. Miss Marion Hollins had an old hat that had long since seen its better days, but, because it had figured in some important championship, it was kept for future use. Miss Edith Cummings, this year's winner of the women's title, had a lucky hat and it was anything but beautiful. Miss Glenna Collett wore a good luck hat that carried her through two seasons. Last year she must have forgotten where she put it, as the championship slipped through her fingers. Miss Alexa Stirling also has abiding faith in an aged bonnet. In the past few years women golfers have taken this up as a sort of fad and good luck hats materialize on the slightest pretext.

I remember at Deal seeing one British golfer who always wore the same coat on the links because years before he had won a big championship in that coat. I suppose he never reckoned how many he had lost with it.

The British golfers frequently appear on the links with pipes in their mouths, and these are not always loaded or in use. Some of them think it is lucky to carry a pipe and they would not be without it.

There is an interesting story connected with a golfer who always carried a pipe and who always put it down on the teeing ground in exactly the same way, the bowl turned toward the ball and the pipe stem pointed in the general direction of the hole. When asked why this function always preceded his play he made the following explanation: "I place the pipe on the ground in this manner," he said, "for a reason directly associated with my game. You see by close observation that the stem of the pipe is pointing in the direction of the hole. This should be explanation enough. I do not have to worry about looking to see where the hole is located, for I know, if I hit the ball down the alley in the direction the pipe stem is pointing, I am going to be right on the line."

Blue Shirts and Roast Lamb

One well-known golfer has a habit of smoking a certain brand of cigar while playing, and he is never without it. The habit has grown on him and, many of his friends declare, in direct ratio to the increasing expertness of his game. I know several golfers who would never think of leaving the tee without lighting a cigarette. After a few puffs they throw it away. I suppose if this wasn't done they would surely miss their next shot.

A friend of mine claims to have started the fad of wearing a blue shirt on the links. One day he won a tournament and recalled that he had worn blue shirts all that week. After this he was seldom without one, and occasionally, when none were available, found his game decidedly off color, so to speak.

During the amateur championship at Brookline Jess Sweetser had pea soup and roast lamb for luncheon when he won his first match round. As it was on the menu again the next day Jess thought it must be lucky food for a winner and he stuck to it all week.

A few seasons ago someone sent Gene Sarazen a necktie with instructions to wear it in a match against me for good luck. Gene took the tip and appeared in the tie, much to the amusement of my friends, who had taken one of my old ties and mailed it to him. Gene was sure it was a lucky omen. The funny part of it was that he won the match and turned the tables on me—or on my friends, I don't know which.

At the open championship at Inwood last July Jock Hutchison played his first round with one ball and did so well that he kept it in commission during the second round also. The third round the ball had outlived its usefulness and he changed, but strangely enough, his luck changed with it.

Jim Barnes never goes into a match without a clover head in his mouth. Jim says it has become a habit and insists that it brings good luck.

There's a Natural Explanation

Many golfers carry horseshoes in their bags. Miss Cummings had one when she won the Westchester-Biltmore in October. Mike Brady had a caddie who carried all sorts of things in the golf bag to help Mike—a rabbit's foot, four-leaf clovers, a couple of horseshoes and I don't know what else.

I have known golfers to carry clubs in their bags that they never used at all, simply for the association's sake, and some use a club that has long since seen its best days because they get the idea it could never be replaced. Many ruin their game by just such foolishness. No club was ever made but what a better one could be found elsewhere.

Golfers play better on some holes than on others because they believe certain ones are lucky for them. It works just the opposite, as some are considered unlucky, whether they are or not. This is a form of mental perversity which most players subscribe to, whether they are superstitious or not.

I have never entertained any of these superstitions myself. Whatever bad breaks I get in tournament play I try to take philosophically and generally look for the explanation in the realm of natural phenomena.

I'll admit I had a good deal to be philosophical about after my adventure at Deal, but experience is the best teacher, and I was soon to have plenty of opportunities to stage my comeback.

I returned to America in the Summer of 1920 to find a big invasion of British golf talent already on hand. Many of them were planning to take part in the American Open that August. It was destined to be a busy season for me and began the day after I landed with an exhibition match between Harry Vardon and Ted Ray, the British stars, and Jim Barnes and myself.

Tomorrow—Upside Down and a Bull's Eye

Ted Ray (left, standing), who won the National Open in 1920, and Harry Vardon (right driving), the latter six times winner of the British Open, which Ray captured in 1912. Hagen can be seen seated with club in hand.

The Sportlight by Grantland Rice

The Turning Point

When the blue gets back in the sky again
And the green gets back in the grass,
Though life's gray troubles drift by again
I stand and let them pass.
I let them slip in a mass again,
For what is there worth a sigh
When the green gets back in the grass again
And the blue gets back in the sky?

When the blue gets back in the sky again
There's "Slide, you bonehead, slide!"
And over the turf there's the cry again
Of "Ride, you Sande, ride!"
When the green gets back in the grass again
There's the roar of a dam that burst
As "Babe" Ruth gathers a pass again
And jogs on his way to first.

The Harvest

The pugilist harvest this Spring and Summer has possibilities beyond any crop of thrills that have yet been developed.

Last Summer outside of Dempsey the main headliners in the heavyweight school were Firpo, Willard, Tom Gibbons and Floyd Johnson.

There was no one quite ready for Greb. Kilbane, Criqui and Wilde were destined to flop without great excitement and Leonard had only Tendler to look after.

Now outside of Dempsey in the heavyweight caravan there are Firpo, Wills, Gibbons and Renault, with other possibilities moving into the edge of the scene.

In the next division there are Tunney, McTigue, Stribling, Berlenbach, Delaney, shading on to Greb, Slattery and Wilson.

There is the first rumor of a Benny Leonard-Mickey Walker war. And, in addition to the Dundee-Pal Moran affair, Villa must take his chance with Frank Genaro.

With New York's two ball parks bidding against Boyle's Thirty Acres in New Jersey, the general ensemble should crack all known records.

The Three-Cornered

"In the argument about the second base greatness of Frisch and Collins," pipes Wahoo, "why leave out Rogers Hornsby? Why isn't he at least one jump in front of both?"

For the last four years Hornsby, on an average, has outhit both Frisch and Collins by 40 or 50 points. Neither has ever approached his high ranking among the Sons of Swat in the School of Slug. And as a second baseman, while not a Collins when Eddie was at his best, the Cardinal is still a factor of merit.

Hornsby as a high spot is only second to Ruth, who holds his grip with 191 home runs for the last four seasons. Here is an average verging on forty-eight home runs a year for four years. And no other ball player has ever hit over forty-one home runs any one season. Hornsby will remain the top card of the National League as long as he leads the parade. He has the cold, unbiased figures to back up his bid.

Revised

The heights by umpires held and kept
Were not attained the easy way,
For they, while grandstands cursed and wept
Were duckling bottles day by day.

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"Firpo to make extended tour of the United States to fight himself into condition." But such few stray dollars as might be picked up will not be entirely despised.

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Dempsey is now at his prime. He is just about the top of his physical greatness. At twenty-nine one fight a year, as suggested, is wasting too great an amount of valuable time. By next Summer, a year away, he will be thirty, and after thirty the road is always downhill in his trade. The challenging field should develop at least two rivals skilled enough to make his programme. Dempsey has averaged one fight a year for the last three years. In the three years he has fought twenty rounds, an hour's competition. It isn't enough to bring him to the highest form he can find.

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There is little chance that either Dempsey or Leonard will be cut down in the prime of competition. The main idea is to extend this prime as far as possible, to keep the foundation well built for the storms that will begin to break in a year or so. These are the same storms that have cut down every champion from the long list.

B.C.A.A.U. MEETING

The meeting of the B.C.A.A.U. which takes place in Victoria today at the local Y.M.C.A., will open at 4 p.m. as originally announced in this paper and not at 8 p.m. Mr. Percy Watson, president of the local branch, confirmed this yesterday evening. He states that he understands that there is a long list of important agenda, but was unable to say just what it comprised. He hopes to see all local affiliated bodies represented at the meeting.

DUNCAN LADY GOLFERS BEAT COLWOOD TEAM

The ladies' "B" team of the Colwood Golf and Country Club motored to Duncan yesterday to play a team match with the ladies of the Cowichan Golf Club. Eight a side played, singles being played in the morning and foursomes in the afternoon.

The official score was as follows, Cowichan players being the first-named in each case:

Singles

Mrs. Share, 1½; Mrs. Pocock, 1½. Mrs. Robinson, 3; Miss Richards, 0. Miss Gibbs, 3; Miss Burt-Smith, 0. Miss Robertson, 3; Mrs. Richards, 0. Mrs. Radford, 3; Miss Lovell, 0. Mrs. Boyd-Wallis, 2; Mrs. Burnes, 1. Mrs. Morten, 3; Mrs. Leeming, 0. Mrs. Duncan, 1; Mrs. Allen, 2.

Totals: Cowichan, 19½; Colwood, 4½.

Foursomes

Mrs. Share and Mrs. Robinson, 3; Mrs. Pocock and Miss Richards, 0.

Miss Gibbs and Miss Robertson, 0; Miss Burt-Smith and Mrs. Richards, 3.

Mrs. Radford and Mrs. Boyd-Wallis, 3; Miss Lovell and Mrs. Burnes, 0.

Mrs. Morten and Mrs. Duncan, 0; Mrs. Leeming and Mrs. Allen, 3.

Totals: Cowichan, 6; Colwood, 6.

Grand totals: Cowichan, 25½; Colwood, 10½.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB

The ladies' monthly hogey competition was played on Friday, the winners being: "A" Class, Mrs. Parry, 3 down; "B" Class, Miss Sarah Spencer, 3 down.

Intercity Basketball At Y.M.C.A. Tonight

TWO basketball games are billed for tonight at the Y.M.C.A., when St. Mary's and Falcons meet to decide the intermediate championship, and the First Presbyterians take on the Seattle Y.M.C.A. The intermediate tilt should be a "thriller," as in previous encounters each team has secured a victory.

The winners of this game will travel to Vancouver and play the winner of the Vancouver league for the championship of B.C. St. Mary's will rely on the same line-up which trimmed the Falcons on Wednesday. This game will commence at 8:15 p.m., and will be immediately followed by the international game. Manager Hessimer, of the Seattle Y.M.C.A., is bringing over the following "six-footers": J. Davies, R. Johnson, G. Smith, H. Stroud, E. Saderhagen. The First Presbyterians will be represented by the usual line-up: Art Boyd (who has been up the Island will be down in time to take his usual position at centre), Bob Whyte, Gus McKinnon, Norman Forbes, Ed. Breckenbridge and "Red" Hastings.

Owing to the seating capacity of the Y.M.C.A. being rather limited and the fact that many were turned away at the last intercity game, fans should telephone the Y.M.C.A. and make reservations so as to avoid disappointment.

Lynch Loses Bantam Title to Goldstein

NEW YORK, March 21.—Abe Goldstein won the world's bantamweight championship tonight from Joe Lynch in a one-sided fifteen-round battle at the Madison Square Garden. Goldstein gained the judges' verdict after decisively whipping his rival all the way in a title match between two veteran New Yorkers.

OAK BAY SCHOLARS WIN FROM SAANICH

Fragments Cup Soccer Match Ends in Score of 3 to 0—Winners Have Edge All Through

In a Fragments Cup soccer match played yesterday the Oak Bay team defeated the Saanich boys by a 3-0 score, the eventual winners having a slight edge on their opponents for the whole of the ninety minutes of play. In the first half of the match the pace set by the teams was very slow, and during this stanza the Oak Bay team tallied twice, the first goal coming from the boot of Simons about seven minutes from the start of the game. For the next fifteen minutes the play was of a see-saw nature and finally the winners broke through for their second goal, when Eagle beat the Saanich net custodian with a well placed shot. The sounding of the whistle for half time came with the score 2-0 in favor of Oak Bay.

Upon the resumption of play both teams livened the pace. The Saanich team in particular tried to stage a comeback, but their much heavier opponents were quite able to handle them and scoring was impossible. With about twenty minutes to go Knight, of the Oak Bays, brought his team's total to three when he scored with a nice shot. The losers made a game fight in a last attempt to overcome the lead of their opponents, but time would not permit and the sounding of the final whistle left Oak Bay as victors.

Will Race Epinard In United States

PARIS, March 21.—Pierre Wertheimer, owner of Epinard, last year's French champion three-year-old, said today that Epinard would be sent to the United States about July 1, and that he would take part in three races there about September 15, October 1 and October 14.

CUP TIE FINAL PLAYED TODAY

NORTH WARDS AND SONS OF ENGLAND MEET

Fine Game Expected Between Two Strong Teams—Winners Play Nanaimo on Saturday Next

The final of the Jackson Cup tie in the football tit-bit provided for local followers of the soccer game here today. The North Wards and the Sons of England meet at the Royal Athletic Park at 3 o'clock, with Ockwell in charge as referee and Oliver and Payne as linesmen. With the ground in fine condition for play and the two teams at full strength a fine game is expected to result.

Victory in this game means that the victors win the right to represent the Lower Island in the series for the championship of the Province and next week-end the team which wins today's match here will go to Nanaimo to play the Upper-Island champions.

The line-up for the game will be as follows:

North Wards—Cummings; Taylor and Bell; Wolsey, Brynjolfson and McKinnon; McInnes, Howden, Brynjolfson, Totty and Kroeger.

Sons of England—Hetherington; Hood and Harwood; Swan, Tupman and Anstead; Smith, Phillips, Southern, Bridges and Shanks.

TIJUANA RACING

First race, half mile—1, Ocean Current, 115, Barnes; 2, Stampede, 115, Butwell; 3, Master Billy, 115, Carter. Also ran—Not Enough, Too Much, Millwick, Our Boy and Ormshrook. Scratched—Alto Quiver.

Second race, five-eighths mile—1, Serena, 104, Loganski; 2, Lucky Dollar, 99, Frey; 3, Vibrator, 106, Fator. Also ran—Collinsion, Tayolite, Spiren, Betty Alden, Cadmus, Stone Bell, Cavite, Maldonado and Killkare. No scratches.

Third race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Smiling, 105, Wilson; 2, Chrome, 112, Smith; 3, Pavlowa, 110, Zuccina. Also ran—Sir John Junior, Galway, Charmant, Gallon Berry, Ollie Wood, John Arbor, Go. Plantagenet and Billy Joe. Scratched—Trulane, Thrills, Delancey, Van Loo and Redman.

Fourth race, one and one-sixteenth miles—1, San Medron, 103, Barnes; 2, Mary J. Baker, 106, Baker; 3, Cavaleadour II, 108, P. Hurn. Also ran—Romulus, Jay Mac, March Lad, Plurality and Brian Kent. Scratched—Seaway, Gold Bryan, Tempfress, Roisterer, Twelve Bells, Fireworth, Bacchus and Scraps.

Fifth race, three-quarters mile—1, The Araucanian, 118, Barnes; 2, Goldfield, 103, Walls; 3, Chiva, 113, Mex. Also ran—Prince Till Till and Paula Shay. No scratches.

Sixth race, one and one-eighth miles—1, Be Frank, 107, Malben; 2, Everbold, 108, Smith; 3, Virginius, 100, Hosgland. Also ran—Victorie, Planet and Van Patrick. No scratches.

Seventh race, one and one-sixteenth miles—1, Postillion, 103, Wood; 2, Overshot, 106, Wilson; 3, Combustor, 111, Smith. Also ran—My Daddy, Cypreme and Wilmer The Wizard. No scratches.

Eighth race, three-quarters mile—1, Lavinia, 105, Walls; 2, Brazos, 107, McKnight; 3, Salvo, 104, Frisco. Also ran—Mart Bunch, Pretty Mally, Mabel Rule, Peter Pierson, Queen Catherine and Scottish Lad. Scratched—Fast Boy, Cap Clover and Fiesta.

Ninth race, one and one-sixteenth miles—1, Prince K., 108, Walls; 2, Haleakala, 109, P. Hurn; 3, Redlegs, 104, Frey. Also ran—Hyanpom, Delph, Cruzern, Fayelle and Fair Orient. No scratches.

Oxford Eight Rows First Full Course In Very Good Time

LONDON, March 21.—For the first time since their 1923 victory over Cambridge the Oxford crew rowed the full four and a half mile course on the Thames from Putney to Mortlake this afternoon. They covered the distance in 19 minutes 29 seconds, almost 1½ minutes faster than their time in last year's race.

The Cambridge crew have not yet taken their first distance trials.

The Oxford team, with weight and experience in its favor, is considered to have the best chances.

WORLD'S BOWLING RECORD

CHICAGO, March 21.—Art Ludvigson, of Chicago, set a new world record in the singles of the American Bowling Congress competition today and took first place in the individual standing with a score of 739.

Sportive Punches

—By the "Old 'Un"—

International sport can be and often is a fine thing. Living as we do close to an international border we should know that as well as most.

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But when politics begin to enter into international sport, it is time to call a halt and consider carefully just what we are doing and where the ever-widening scope of certain world competitions is leading us.

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There are many international competitions which do most certainly promote the COMITY of NATIONS that we hear so much about. Instances which at once occur to our mind are the DAVIS CUP tennis competition, the WALKER CUP golf competition, and the recently inaugurated international yacht races in the six-metre (is it not?) class.

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Such competitions as these bring men of different nations together and let them learn by personal contact that the other fellows are REGULAR FELLOWS like themselves.

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THEY PROMOTE GOOD SPORT, GOOD FELLOWSHIP AND A RIGHT UNDERSTANDING.

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It is however beginning to be very doubtful in a lot of minds whether the Olympic Games are doing so much along this line as they were expected to do when they were first inaugurated, or should we say resumed?

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They have got to be rather unwieldy, and there seems to be an unseemly scramble among the nations to get points somehow or anyhow. If a nation has some pet national sport of its own that the others do not indulge in to any extent, that nation wants it included so that it may win some points.

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Under the present plan it can hardly be blamed. But the Games can scarcely be said to promote good feeling when you read such statements as the following in a responsible American publication:

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"There seems to be considerable basis for the belief brought home by the Canadian and United States Olympic skaters that politics and national jealousies are ruling the conduct of this world classic. The French Government has been carrying on with a high hand without respect to persons or nations.

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"It was believed that sport was superior to political and national jealousies and antipathies, but the same factors which have kept Europe in political and economic turmoil apparently seek to wreck all the good international sport promised to bring into a suffering world."

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That's sad reading so early in the proceedings.

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Just the same, we think that the programme is getting unwieldy. Nearly every game you can think of is included now. Ping-pong will probably be the next, or possibly even Bumble-puppy?

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A much harassed editor, made a bit cranky by a bad cold and the many unsolicited contributions of the Spring poets, wanting to show them once and for all that he doesn't need their stuff and can do the rhyming just as well himself, perpetrates the following:

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"For the Sprig I do not really care a fig.
When my nose is very red and very big.
Oh! we're longing for the roses
When the cold is in our noses,
And we're very apt to murmur, 'DAB THE SPRIG!'"

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PANTAGES THEATRE
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Commencing
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Seat sale starts Monday, March 24th, at 10 a.m.

Had Hard Ice, Soft Ice, Any Old Ice Suits Calgary Puckchasers

MONTREAL, March 21.—"We are perfectly satisfied to play here tomorrow night in the first game against Canadiens in the final series for the Stanley Cup. Our boys can play on soft ice as well as hard."

This was what Lloyd Turner, owner of the Calgary team, had to say today. Mr. Turner said his team were all in good shape.

They were to have practised today, but the Arena management is anxious to keep the ice they have for the game tomorrow night, so that the workout had to be called off.

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At the Playhouses

"GEISHA" PLEASES LOCAL AUDIENCE

VANCOUVER AMATEURS PRESENT FAVORITE OLD PLAY

David Spencer Musical Society Scores Distinguished Success at Royal Victoria Last Night

Playgoing memories of a generation ago, and of the London Strand in the heyday of the musical comedy, were happily revived at the Royal Victoria Theatre last night, when the David Spencer Musical Society, of Vancouver, presented a most successful production of Sidney Jones' favorite and tuneful story of a Japanese tea-house, "The Geisha."

The performance of these amateurs, whose daily avocation as shop girls and salesmen may not be, after all the worst of dramatic schools, reflects great credit on those responsible for their training. The singing was good, the acting was good, the stage management was excellent, and the costumes and scenery were beautiful and appropriate.

Tuneful Music

The music of "The Geisha" recalls the taste of thirty years ago—a pleasant reminder of the tuneful series of musical plays which held the boards in succession at Daly's. The action is natural in sequence, the dialogue is happy in its wit. The Spencer company gave evidence that it had been well drilled in its exits and entrances, and was at all times equal to that first requisite of the theatrical art, the ability to create and maintain the illusion of the scene.

Credit for the acting ability of the company must be largely awarded to Madame Norminton, the talented stage director of the society; but while that is true, it is not to say that the stage direction was not supported by a most competent aggregation of singers.

A Capable Company

Mr. Stanley Bartindale gave an inimitable interpretation of the character of "Wun-Hi," the Chinaman proprietor of the aforementioned tea-house "of Ten Thousand Joys."

Another of the major roles, the Marquis Imari, was most effectively carried by Mr. William Creedon.

Mimosa San

One of the outstanding voices of the production belonged to Mimosa San, the chief Geisha in this gay tea-house garden. Miss Maud Morritt sang the many pretty things belonging to this part with great artistry.

The staging was in keeping with the story; the costuming, supplied by David Spencer, Ltd., very beautiful, notably in the case of the Imari's magnificent robes of state.

Mr. F. T. Moseley, conductor of the David Spencer Musical Society, wielded the baton, and with Mrs. Raymond La Marche, the pianist for the society, succeeded in giving an excellent instrumental background and really professional character to the choruses.

The performance will be repeated again tonight.

COLUMBIA THEATRE "Mile-a-Minute Romeo," Tom Mix's newest hors doeuvre of the Western plains, is still being enjoyed at the Columbia Theatre. Manager Clark voices the opinion that it will not close its phenomenal run here until the press of crowds decreases. Particularly relished in this production is Mix's new felicity as a romantic, chap-sporting, gun-toting, hossriding hard boiler of the West. He is well cast in his present role, the supporting cast measuring well up beside him

DOMINION THEATRE What is without a doubt a dramatic episode of unsurpassed strength can be seen in "The Eternal City," a First National picture produced by George Fitzmaurice from Sir Hall Caine's novel, which is playing this week at the Dominion Theatre. The figures in the episode are Donna Roma and David Rossi, the parts being portrayed in the film version by Barbara La Marr and Bert Lytell. Others in the cast are Lionel Barrymore, Richard Bennett and Montagu Love. The picture was filmed in Rome and its environments.

CAPITOL THEATRE Another comedy artist has deserted the custard pie field for the more serious drama. "Teddy," the famous dog of Mack Sennett comedies, was loaned to the Goldwyn Company for a part in King Vidor's "Wild Oranges," a Goldwyn picture, now showing at the Capitol Theatre. "Teddy" has longed to take up the more serious drama. In a recent interview he barked his approval when asked if he ever had a secret desire to play "Hamlet." "I have always felt that I was limiting myself by playing slapstick," said Teddy. "I want a broader field. Mr. Vidor—kind, generous Mr. Vidor, a wonderful director—has given me my chance to show what I can do. My attack on Charles A. 'Buddy' Post is considered one of the best fights since 'The Spoilers.'"

MISS FRASER WILL BE VOCALIST AT SUNDAY CONCERT

Two more Sundays will see the conclusion of the Sunday evening Winter band concerts given by the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Band, by kind permission of Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Urquhart, D. S. O., M. C., A. D. C.

The programme arranged for this evening, the "grand request night," at the Capitol consists of numbers sent in by many supporters of these concerts, and among them are the "Mikado" selection, the "Three Dances from Henry VIII," the idyl "The Forest Ranger's Courtship," and the characteristic intermezzo "In a Monastery Garden." The vocalist, Miss Mamie Fraser, has not appeared at these concerts this season. Mrs. Clifford Warn will again act as accompanist.

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The Screen

Capitol—Frank Mayo in "Wild Oranges."

Columbia—Tom Mix in "Mile-a-Minute Romeo!"

Dominion—"The Eternal City," starring Lionel Barrymore, Barbara LaMarr and Bert Lytell.

The Stage

Playhouse—"The Prince of Pilsen."

Royal—"The Geisha."

POPULAR ACTOR RETURNS WITH NEW COMEDY AT PANTAGES

Next Thursday will see the reappearance of the popular actor, Mr. Francis Compton, at Pantages Theatre in that side-splitting farce, "A Little Bit of Fluff." It is not too much to say that this play, which held the boards at the Criteria Theatre, London, for over two years, contains every necessary element of wear constitutes an ideal farce. It has the lines, the action, and the ludicrous situations which are the necessary components of modern farce, and to it all is added a spice and flavor, somewhat French, which renders it one of the cleverest and most delightful mirth-provoking machines ever written. Mr. Compton has a splendid part in which he will bring all his great talent for comedy, whilst he will receive the support of a cast eminently suited to do full justice to this amusing and frolicsome entertainment.

PICTURE REVEALS ADVENTURES OF WOMAN M.P. IN PARIS

No George Pearson production would be complete without a touch of Dickens, and without prejudice to the other players and scenes in "Squibs, M.P.," which is the attraction at the Royal next week, Hugh Wright certainly provides a good deal of the Dickensian atmosphere in a picturesque make-up which one can only describe as that of a Micawber-esque French comedian.

In the studio during the production of the film he presented a strange contrast to Squibs, otherwise Betty Balfour, especially in a certain incident in a hotel lounge into which Squibs had made an impressive entrance in a latest creation.

On the particular day that this scene was taken the sun and the arc lights combined to make the heat almost unbearable, and the only sign of Winter was a bowl of ice that the producer called for, not to apply to his perspiring brow, but destined to make unoffending film audiences perspire with laughter at some future date.

Golf and Other Troubles

By BARRIE PAYNE

A Round With Alibi Arthur

First Hole—Tops his drive. "My foot slipped." Hooks his brassie. "This sweater's too tight. I can't take a free swing." Sclaffs his mashie shot. "Don't stand so blamed close to me, caddy. You worry me." After three assaults with a niblick the ball is still in the sand. "I believe the shaft of this club is warped." On the fourth attempt he overshoots the green. "The ball was buried in a heel print." Picks up.

Number Two—Slices his midiron shot. "That old ball is lopsided." Tries a spoon in the rough and misses the ball altogether. "Fagossake, caddy! Have you got to cough every time I shoot?" Hooks into a trap with his mashie-niblick. "The club turned in my hand. I perspire too freely and the shaft gets slick." His shot from the sand reaches the green, but is short. "That sand is too wet and heavy. His first three putts are short. "This green is too slow. Whyinell don't they mow it once in a while?" His fourth putt rims the cup. "This putter's not balanced right."

The Third—A topped drive, a hooked midiron, a pulled mashie, a niblick ten yards over the green, a mashie off-line and three putts. "The caddy rattled the clubs." "The head of this midiron feels like it's loose on the shaft." "I've got a sore finger and can't grip the club right." "I had a bad lie." "A fly lit on my nose while I was swinging." "Caddy, I wish to the Lord you'd quit letting your shadow fall on the green."

Fourth Hole—His drive lands in the creek. "That creek is not a fair penalty. The man who designed this course should be shot every morning at sunrise." His niblick shot rolls into the rough. "The ball rolled into a hole when I dropped it." His mashie-niblick stroke strikes a tree and drops into a trap. "The bark on that tree is too soft." That ball should have bounced onto the green." After three attempts with the niblick he picks up. "I couldn't get a decent stance."

The Fifth—Drives four balls out of bounds. "This fairway's too narrow. It's not a fairway, really. It's a rifle range." Tops his fifth attempt. "I didn't have the ball teed high enough." Brassies into a bunker. "That's a helluva place to put a

"Have you got to cough every time I shoot?"

bunker. Even a good player has no chance." Niblicks out of the pit and lands in another. "A button on my undershirt snapped off and disturbed my concentration." Picks up.

Number Six—Drives into the creek. "If I had used a sinker I would have been dead to the pin. That old floater's cut all to pieces. You can't drive it anywhere." Drops a ball and tries a mashie shot. The ball rolls across the green and into the rough. "You can't tell what you're doing on these damned greens. One of 'em's too slow and the next one's too fast. You never know how to make allowances." His mashie shot is off line. "I didn't know that rock was there. It's a wonder I didn't break my club." Three putts. "Caddy, I didn't hire you to stand around and grin like an idiot. That's not what you're being paid for. You get on my nerves. How can a man play golf——?"

Seventh Hole—His spoon shot hooks to the rough. "The caddy gave me the wrong club. I should have made him come back and bring me my driver." Attempts to come out with a brassie. The ball goes straight up in the air. "This club's too long. That would have been a good shot if my club had been half an inch shorter." He takes a midiron and wallops the ball two hundred yards. It strikes the green and kicks over on the other side. "Great sufferin' catfish! That's a fine green! If that's a green I'm the Prince of Wales.. About the size of a postage stamp. With the right sort of a green that shot would have stayed on." His opponent holes a long brassie shot. "Aw, hell, I don't feel like playin' today. I've got a headache. I'm gonna quit. We'll get together some other time."

DOCTORS URGE FIRPO TO WALLOP DEMPSEY

Argentine People Need His Services to Bring Honor to Country, But Luis Has Other Plans

BUENOS AYRES, March 21.—Forty Argentine doctors, at a banquet in honor of Luis Firpo last night, appealed to him to reconsider his decision to retire. Two of the speakers told him he no longer belonged to himself but the Argentine people, who demanded he fulfill their wishes, go to the United States and wrest the championship from Jack Dempsey.

Firpo did not reply formally, but after the banquet doctors gathered around him, insisting he say when he would leave for New York. Firpo seemed to have lost the power of speech. Finally he gave a negative shake of his head and, pointing to Hugh Gartland, his American representative: "He is sailing April 10, but I am not going with him. I am going to Europe."

HOSPITAL GROUNDS CLOSED TO HOCKEY

Not Fitted for Both Hockey and Cricket, Members Maintain at Meeting of Directors

An application from the Victoria Grass Hockey Club for lease of the Jubilee Hospital grounds was discussed by the Board at their regular meeting last night, but in view of the representations of several of the directors that hockey and cricket could not be played on the same field, the decision went against the former in favor of the retention of the grounds for the use of the cricket team. Several matters pertaining to the Hospital grounds were up for discussion, including the big gate at the junction of Fort Street and Richmond Avenue, which was declared to be in a "dangerous condition;" while Dr. Bapty informally protested against the cutting down of any more trees.

The Board assented to an application for the holding of the nurses' graduation exercises on May 30.

Mr. Williams asked if there had been any reply from the city with respect to the Hospital's application for free water. All civic institutions, it was pointed out, secured the half rate, and the Hospital as a civic institution was justified in considering itself entitled to such benefits.

Last Year of Tennis For William T. Tilden

BROOKLINE, Mass., March 21.—Positive declaration that 1924 would be his last year as a tennis player unless the ruling against writing for newspapers should be revoked, was made last night by William T. Tilden, here to take part in the national indoor mixed doubles tournament.

Tilden said he would play with the Davis Cup team this year, but owing to the rule against writers being enforced by the Olympic Committee he was ineligible to compete in the Olympic Games for America.

HIRAM JOHNSON LOSES OUT

Primaries in North Dakota Said to Have Eliminated California Senator From Presidential Run

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The result of the North Dakota primary in which President Coolidge leads Senator Hiram Johnson and Senator Robert M. LaFollette promises to be far-reaching.

The result is looked upon here as indicating that Johnson has lost any chance he had of obtaining the Republican presidential nomination at the National Republican convention, that Coolidge's nomination is assured and that LaFollette as an independent presidential candidate is sure to draw a powerful vote in the agricultural states.

Regular Republican leaders while pleased over the showing made by Coolidge, are worried over the heavy vote for LaFollette.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

Sunderland Expected to Increase Point Lead at Head of First Division of League

LONDON, March 21.—Sunderland, leaders of the First Division of the English League are expected to increase their three-point lead over Cardiff City by another two points tomorrow inasmuch as the Durham County men play Burnley at home, while Cardiff meets Notts County on the latter's ground. Huddersfield meet Sheffield United again tomorrow on the former's ground. Other fixtures in the First Division, together with the scores of the last meeting of the clubs concerned are:

Arsenal versus Notts Forest, 1-2.
Birmingham versus Chelsea, 1-1.
Blackburn Rovers versus Liverpool, 0-0.
Everton versus West Ham, 1-1.
Manchester City versus Preston N.E., 14.
Tottenham Hotspur versus Aston

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THE STANLEY CUP

MONTREAL, March 21.—Canadiens and Calgary Tigers will play at the Mount Royal Arena Saturday night in their first game of the final series for the Stanley Cup, according to a statement here tonight by President Calder, of the N.H.L. At the same time it was stated that definite plans have also been concluded for the second game of the round, scheduled for Ottawa on Tuesday night.

W. Bromich A. versus Newcastle United, 1-1.

In the Scottish League, Glasgow Rangers, who suffered their second defeat of the season in mid-week at the hands of Aberdeen, will have an opportunity to retrieve themselves when they meet Third Lanark.

Rangers are being hotly pursued for league honors by Airdrieonians and the latter are not considered as having much opposition tomorrow in their game with Kilmarnock.

At the moment only 2 points separate Rangers, who still head the table from Ardrie team. Celtic meet Raith Rovers and this should be a good contest. Dundee, fourth from the top, face Partick Thistles.

Other fixtures are:
Hibernians vs. St. Mirren.
Motherwell vs. Aberdeen.
Ayr United vs. Heart of Midlothian.
Clyde vs. Queen's Park.
Clyde Bank, vs. Greenock Morton.
Falkirk vs. Hamilton Academicals.
All games are played on the grounds of the first named club.

SHAW IS SOME RIDER!

SANDOWN, England, March 21.—Robert G. Shaw, eldest son of Lady Astor, rode his own horse, Lee Bridge, to victory today in the Grand Military Gold Cup race in a field of 11 runners.

PROVINCIAL PARTY TO ORGANIZE AT LAKE HILL

Speakers Tell of Occurrences at the Railroad Inquiry Now Nearing Conclusion

Organization plans of the Provincial party in the Lake Hill district were discussed last night at a meeting held in the Community Hall, Lake Hill, when the list of speakers included Mr. J. Pierce, chairman; and Messrs. W. H. English, Leonard Tait, John Connell, Alderman Woodward and Thomas Golby. Final action in respect to the Lake Hill organization of the party was left over until the next meeting.

Speakers told of occurrences at the P.G.E. inquiry now being held in the Parliament Buildings before Mr. Justice Galliher, and expressed their opinions as to information secured so far in respect to charges against the British Columbia Government brought by the Provincial party.

Christie's Biscuits

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One and one-half cents a word each insertion, nine cents a word a week, with a minimum of 13 words, cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS

BELL—On March 19, 1924, at New Westminster, B.C., John Bell, aged 59 years, born in Scotland. He is survived by one daughter, Miss M. Bell, one son, A. G. Bell; one brother, Mr. J. Bell, and one sister and two brothers residing in London, England.

The remains are resting at the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Company, where service will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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COMING EVENTS 1

DANCE at Chamber of Commerce, Saturday night. Six-piece orchestra. Tombola. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

DON'T forget the New Friendship Club dance on Saturday night. Clean dancing and good music is the secret of our success. Hunt's orchestra plays all the latest hits. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

KIWANIS Minstrels, April 7, 8 and 9, Pantages Theatre.

RUMMAGE Sale, St. Mary's Hall, Yale St., Tuesday, March 25, at 2:30.

RUMMAGE Sale, for S.P.C.A., at 717 Fort Street, Saturday, March 29. Articles may be sent to Mrs. Hass, 602 Trutch St., Mrs. Crane, 561 Broughton St., or Miss Embley, confectionery store, Yates Street. Articles will be called for if notification given to Mrs. Hass or Mrs. Crane.

USUAL military 500 tonight, 1230 Government Street. 11 scrip prizes. Admission 25 cents. 8:30. Reserved tables.

VICTORIA Review, No. 1, whist drive, Tuesday, March 25, 8:15 sharp, K. of C. Hall, 902 Government Street. Scrip prizes. Tombola; Swift's ham.

WHIST drive and dance, tonight, in Foresters' Hall. Side of bacon, two $4 scrips and four other prizes.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

A MAN, to work on farm; must be good milker. Box 6665, Colonist.

A SMART boy, with wheel, $9 per week. Oak Bay Grocery.

BOYS to sell papers every Saturday; liberal commission. Apply Empire Cigar Stand, Douglas Street, 1 to 3 today.

BOY wanted to do chores and help with milking. Phone 7133R.

MAKE Money at Home—$15 to $60 paid weekly for your spare time writing show cards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. West Angus Showcard Service, 39 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

RADIO CLASS FORMING

SPROTT-SHAW SCHOOL is installing a most up-to-date radio equipment. Class will be held Monday and Thursday evenings. Wireless Telegraphy. Coaching for Government examinations in spark and C.W., also Radio Telephony. Class starts January 31, 1924. Phone 28 or call for particulars. Sprott-Shaw Institute, corner Douglas and Broughton Streets.

MANY vacancies waiting competent mechanics to meet the Summer demand for mechanics. We are putting on special terms of weekly payments of ten dollars ($10). Get ready for the big paying jobs in a few weeks. Apply International School of Engineering, 910 View St.

WANTED—Men to learn barber business. Special terms, and commissions on application. 1306 Government.

WANTED—Thoroughly experienced silk salesman, must be good stockkeeper. Apply Box 712, Colonist.

$200 PER month. Would you accept a position at $50 per week? Now is the time motor mechanics are wanted, many situations to choose from. Get started at once and get in on the good jobs. See us about our special $10 per week offer. Day and night classes. International Engineering Schools, 610 View Street, Victoria, B.C.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

APRIL 1, general help for country bungalow near beach. Box 451 Colonist.

COOK, West Coast General Hospital, report for duty April 1st. State age, married, single or widow, and salary. References required. For further particulars address Matron, P.O. Box 577, Port Alberni, Vancouver Island, B.C.

EARN $5 to $25 weekly the pleasant HOME WORK WAY making socks on the fast, easily learned AUTO KNITTER. Experience unnecessary; distance immaterial; positively no canvassing. Particulars 3c stamp. Dept. 34-C, Auto Knitter Co., Toronto.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3
(Continued)

ENGLISH girl, who will work with goats and small stock, should be able to milk. $25 and board. Mrs. Bradley Dyne, Duncan.

FREE Yarn—We will send, absolutely free, $6 worth of our High Grade Knitting Wool, for a few small services you can do for us at your own home. Positively no canvassing. Send stamped addressed envelope for full information at once. Canadian Distributing Co., Orillia, Ont., Canada.

GENERAL help; references. Mrs. G. C. Holland, 25 Cook Street.

WANTED immediately—A good house-tablemaid. Apply to Mrs. C. P. Hill, Hillhaven, Esquimalt Road. Phone 7252L.

WANTED—Good plain cook-general, for family of two adults. Apply, between 1:30 and 3 p.m. Mrs. A. T. Ogilvie, 1015 Belmont Avenue. Phone 6791Y.

WANTED immediately—Maid to look after two small children and do light housework. 1295 Hampshire Road. Phone 5452L.

WANTED—Lady help for cooking and housework; two in family; references required. Mrs. Layard, Deep Cove, Sidney.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, age 15 to 16. Apply to Box 665, Colonist.

WANTED—Girl for light housework, care of one child. Apply 64 Moss Street.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

ACCOUNTS or income tax returns written up; moderate charge. R. Ross, 1002 Broad Street. Phone 168.

A PRACTICAL carpenter would build by contract; plans provided if desired. 3455R or 3536Y.

CARPENTERING work done. Garages a specialty. Phone 5811L. J. Hodge.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, fully experienced on cars and motor boats; all repairs; wishes position. Best of references, British and Canadian. 940 Meares Street, Victoria, B.C.

GARDENS dug and planted, trees sprayed, etc. Phone 902X.

IF you want dangerous trees removed or topped by reliable people, phone 7810.

STRONG lad, 16, wants a job. Phone Colquitz 10G.

YOUNG man, 21, raised on farm, able to milk cows, wants steady job on farm. 566 Johnson Street. Phone 6679.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

AN elevator operator is disengaged. Box 746, Colonist.

ENGLISHWOMAN seeks position as chaffeuse; five years' experience. Would help in house. Box 237, Colonist.

EDUCATED English trained children's nurse, age 26, requires post in Victoria; English family preferred. Whatmore, 75 Seventh Avenue East, Vancouver.

ORDERS taken for cardigan sweaters, hand knitted. Phone 1231Y.

STEADY woman wishes work by the day or hour, cleaning. Box 677, Colonist.

TRUSTWORTHY woman offers some service for room or comfortable home. Box 726, Colonist.

WOMAN wants work by the day or hour. Phone 4380R.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC School, $7.50 for three months. Phone 4535 or 4301R.

EXPERIENCED master gives tuition in public and high school subjects. All exams. Phone 6315Y.

ENGINEERS coached for certificates. W. G. Winterburn, 221 Central Bldg.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government Street. Business subjects, thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 374.

MUSIC 7

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR, and all stringed instruments taught by W. G. Plowright, 1116 Broad Street. Phone 1662. Res. phone 1311Y1. Hours, 1 to 5 p.m., except Saturdays.

MANDOLIN, guitar and banjo taught by Mrs. B. Attfield, 275 Oliver St. Phone 1666Y1.

MISS CLARE POWELL, L.R.A.M. Studio, 406-11 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 6416.

VIOLIN

ADVANCED and elementary violin tuition. Drury Pryce, 1316 Fort. Phone 1444.

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Phones 2647 and 3747.

SINGING

DR. J. E. HODGSON—Singing and piano; Knabe grand. 1114 Government St. 5545R.

PIANO

ADAM BOYD, elementary piano tuition, 1520 Johnson St. Phone 5957L. 45c lesson.

IVOR S. BRAKE, Teacher of Pianoforte and Organ. For Appointments, Phone 7442X2, Savannah Avenue.

MISS NELLIE HIPWOOD, L.C.C.M., teacher of piano and saxophone. 351 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 5062L.

PIANOFORTE

MRS. E. SEMPLE — Pianist and experienced teacher of piano. Pupils prepared for examinations if desired. 1443 Mitchell Street. Phone 3747.

MISS M. ROBERTS, teacher of piano, organ and theory. 6661 Blackwood Avenue.

PIANO pupils wanted, Gorge Road East, West, and vicinity. Box 480, Colonist.

REGINALD R. COX, L. Mus. (McGill), pianoforte teacher. Homes visited. Studio, 1473 Fort St. Phone 2666.

TO EXCHANGE 8

OAK BAY HOME

A 7-ROOM modern semi-bungalow in Oak Bay, with every modern convenience and in first-class condition. A good garage and fine lawn. Original cost $6,000. Present cash value $4,500, clear title; taxes $20 per year. Owner will exchange for house with 2 to 5 acres, within three miles of city. Must be first-class and good value.

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7 ACRES, Gordon Head district, nice view of the water. Will take small bungalow.

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WOULD trade 6-room modern house, $4,500, on acreage, Gordon Head. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6155.

BEST prices paid for rags, bottles, old carpets, old stoves, tools, etc. Veteran Junk Co. Phones 2621 6796.

CARS repaired or overhauled at your place; 25 years' experience. Phone 7706R1.

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FENCING, land clearing, tree removal, topping or surgery. Phone 5263L1.

INCOME tax, Dominion, Provincial, British, returns and claims prepared. J. H. Hill, 417 Pemberton Bldg.

KIWANIS Minstrels, April 7, 8 and 9, Pantages Theatre.

LAWNMOWERS ground, collected, delivered, $1. Dandridge, machinist. Phone 2640, 4267L.

LAWN Mowers sharpened; saws filed; keys made. J. H. Carver & Son, 657 Fort St.

PAINTING, paperhanging, kalsomining. J. J. Ross, 564 Pembroke, cor. Quadra. Phone 2203.

PAINTING, paperhanging and kalsomining. F. H. Ross. Phone 6216.

SAWS, all kinds, filed, set, gummed, etc. Phone W. Emery, 1661 Gladstone Ave.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

FUR neckpieces of Persian lamb, $7.50, and ermine (Russian), $20. Phone 7646X.

FOR Sale—New Spring suits, coats, dresses, skirts, etc. Your credit is good if not convenient to pay cash. The Famous Store, Ltd., 721 Yates Street.

FOR tailoring, renovating, dyeing, phone 4100, D. F. Sprinkling, McGregor Block. Your own material made up.

HIGHLAND Laddie Scotch suit, new. Lady's navy suit, new condition, bargain. Mrs. Jowitt, 521 Fort. Phone 2134.

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FOR Sale—Weber piano, upright grand, like new. Owner leaving city, will sell for $250. Phone 6652.

FOR Sale—Upright piano, dark mahogany case, in good condition, $210. Phone 7719X.

FOR Sale—Almost new player-piano, or will trade for good car. Phone 372, during day.

FOR Sale—Willis Alexandria player-piano, good as new; price $450. Box 500, Colonist.

PIANO for sale, Collard & Collard. Phone 4365R.

FURNITURE

ANTIQUE furniture, silver and china, at Woollett's, 1430 St. Charles St.

A SNAP—Furniture of rooming house, fourteen rooms; always rented. Phone 2414Y.

BARGAIN—Continuous post double bed, spring and all-wool mattress, A1 condition, $9.50. Oddy's, 1613 Douglas Street.

CARPETS taken up, relaid, altered, repaired, cleaned, etc. Linoleum laid. Carpeteria Co., 621 Fort St. Phone 1455.

FOR Sale—A complete selection of first-class furniture. Everything ideally suited for newly-married couple who plan on furnishing and want quality goods at a big sacrifice. No business with dealers. If interested, write for appointment to Box 753, Colonist.

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FURNITURE of 4-room flat for sale, entire or in piecemeal, including New Perfection oil stove, new Victrola gramophone, 2 open coal heaters. For rent—4-room flat. Phone 7670L1, before 5.30, or between 5 and 7 p.m., if possible.

FOR Sale—Simmons child's cot-bed, drop sides, $9. 617 Harbinger Avenue, or phone 1302.

FOR Sale—Household furniture. Apply 1235 Walnut Street.

KITCHEN comfort, with bins and drawers; bargain, $6.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

LINEN chest, with loose cover, padded top, only $5. Island Exchange, 739 Fort.

OAK roller top desk for sale, cheap. Phone 5552.

QUARTER-CUT oak dining chairs, $25 the set of 6; rolltop desk, quarter-cut oak, $35; single bed, complete, $5.50; brass bed, complete with new mattress, $35. 610 Pandora.

SOLID oak round extension table and 5 diners with leather seats; the lot, $45. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

SNAP—Bed lounge, in A1 condition, $12.50. Oddy's, 1613 Douglas St.

MISCELLANEOUS

AN Underwood typewriter snap; Elite type, 14-inch carriage; in perfect condition; $50 cash. Call at 21 Winch Bldg.

ADDING machine; no reasonable offer refused. Box 540, Colonist.

BABY Buggy, cream wicker, as new, snap, $25; cane folder, $3.00. Phone 4616R2.

BABY buggies, English and other styles, as new, all colors, from $10. Repairs; hoods recovered. 423 Boleskine Rd. Phone 4616R2.

BLACK soil. Ploughing, general teaming done. 506 Sayward Bldg. Phone 2656.

BAKER'S Hubbard oven, No. 3, 100-loaf, small ice cream freezer (hand); National cash register, 5c to $1.65, brand new; also full line of baker's pans, tins, etc. No reasonable offer refused for all or either. Must go. Box 6257, Colonist.

BEST rubber heels, 40c pair, put on. Men's soles and heels, $1.60. Only best leather used. H. White, 1311 Blanshard Street, next door to B.C. Telephone office.

BABY buggies, cheapest in city. Terms if required. All kinds of repairs. Brown, 903 Hereward Rd., Victoria West.

CASHIER'S cage, birch mahogany, with cash drawers, wicket, etc., very well made and nicely finished. A bargain, $10. 117 View Street.

CARPETS, every description, guaranteed clean and sterilised. Largest stock in city. See ours before purchasing. Island Window and Carpet Cleaning Co., 617 Fort St. Phone 2615.

DICTAPHONE, complete set; dictator, reproducer and shaver; as good as new; no reasonable offer refused. Box 627, Colonist.

ENGLISH baby buggy, in good condition, $16.50. Phone 7368Y1.

FOR Sale—Sample suitcases, $1.75; real leather valises, $6.75; Win. repeating rifle, .22 cal., $13.50; German field glasses, $4.75; split bamboo and steel fishing rods, $2.75; Ingersoll watches and alarm clocks, $1.35; Radio condensers, 15-plate, $3.75; 31-plate, $4.50; crystal set, $7.50; tube set, $175; outer bicycle tires, new, $1.75; cord tires, new, $3.50; inner tubes, 75c; boys' bicycles, $8.75; gent's Massey bicycle, $15; new bicycles, English, $35; gold-filled spectacles, to fit any sight, $1.75; other spectacles, 35c; leather gloves, 50c. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-hand Store, 581 Johnson St., 4 doors below Government St. Phone 755.

FOR Sale—Magoon strawberry plants, from strong vigorous maiden plants. C. B. McCarthy, Keating; phone 7F.

FRESH cut daffodils, 6 doz., $1, delivered, Victoria districts. Phone 3361-2.

FOR Sale—Horse and cow manure. Phone 4017L.

GLADIOLI—A choice mixture, which contains some of the beautiful Primulinus variety; every bulb grown in our own garden; 50 cents per dozen; $3.50 per 100. Fred Cousins, Victoria Public Market.

HIGH-GRADE guns and rifles bought, sold and exchanged. J. A. Whitehead, Plimley's Garage.

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LAWN mowers (second hand), in good order, from $4.50 up. Island Exchange, 735 Fort Street.

LARGE quantity small mesh fish net for sale. Mac's Stare, Store Street.

LUMBER—Shingles—Millwork. Glass, plain and leaded. Green Lumber Company. Phone 5467.

LARGE dog kennel, well built. Phone 7968X.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $2 per week. Phone 4966. 1424 Douglas Street.

PEDESTAL lamp in art glass, $45, regular $60. Fresh stock Radio A batteries. Electrical repairs and wiring. Fox & Mainwaring, Pemberton Bldg. Down a few steps, save a few dollars.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13
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RELIABLE gas range, in good condition, bargain, $8.50. Island Exchange, 736 Fort Street.

RANGES — Repairing and connecting, moving and coils. Southall, 752 Fort. Phone 4239.

SALTED red salmon put up for private use; 50 and 100-lb. barrels, $7 and $11. Phone 12091, after 6 p.m.

SINGER rotary electric (used), half price. 718 Yates.

SWEET PEAS—Cousins' seed is carefully grown; should give good results wherever sown. 10 cents per packet; 12 packets $1. Descriptive price list now ready. Fred Cousins, Public Market, or R.R. 6, Victoria, B.C.

TWO National cash registers, both almost new; small and large one, cheap. Box 539, Colonist.

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CORNWELL'S BAKERY
743 Fort Street Phone 1727

3000 CLEANED bricks and quantity of lumber, cheap. Phone 2696R.

6-HOLE Gurney-Chancellor range, water-front, in A1 order; snap, $35. Island Exchange, 725 Fort Street.

$75—NEW Princess range. Particulars, phone 7016L.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY best cash prices paid for ladies, gentlemen's and children's good-class discarded clothing. Phone 3653, or call Mrs. Wardale, 1602 Douglas St.

ABSOLUTE advantages are given by MRS. JOWITT, 631 FORT, in Buying, Selling or Exchange of HIGH-CLASS DISCARDED CLOTHING. Antiques Wanted. Phone 2134

AUTOMATIC shotgun wanted, or will trade for Winchester pump. Phone 12091, after 6 p.m.

ADVERTISER requires 4 or 5 rooms of good furniture. Phone 2652.

ANTIQUES Wanted—Silver, crystal, china and furniture. Mrs. Murdoch, 1116 Fort Street.

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ROOM AND BOARD 15

A LARGE double room; also single; first-class board, central, home-like. 641 Superior Street.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

ASCROFT—All modern conveniences, 415 Menzies St., close to C.P.R. docks and Parliament Bldgs., all outside rooms. Phone 31231.

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FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

AT Belwil Apartments, corner Burnside and Douglas—Bright furnished suites; all outside rooms.

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TO RENT—HOUSES 23

1405 FERNWOOD, 6 rooms, furnace..$27.50
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$17.50—6 ROOMS, fully modern, near Arena, good condition; $26, 6 rooms, modern, garage, near Arena; $30, 6-room bungalow, splendid condition, near Arena; 5-roomed cottage, modern, Foul Bay, 6 rooms, modern, Foul Bay; $20, 5 rooms, modern, Fairfield; $40, 10 rooms, steam heat, close in, a good house. Several well-furnished houses in good locations. Harry Amphlett, 513 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 6906.

WANTED TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 25

ABOUT middle April—Furnished house, 4 or 5 rooms; rent limit $26, adults. Box 711, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent—Small furnished house, handy to Mount Tolmie or Jubilee Hospital. Might consider buying. Cross & Co., Belmont House.

WANTED to Rent—A furnished bungalow or house, James Bay district preferred. Reply to P.O. Box 511, City.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES 24

WANTED to Rent—Small house, with about an acre of land; close to car or bus; would consider lease. Apply Box 716, Colonist.

1 OR 2 ROOMS, or shack, Oak Bay; rent reasonable. Phone 65541.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26

COMPLETELY well furnished home, seven rooms, furnace, garage, good locality; ready for immediate occupation; rent $60. Will lease. Phone 3356Y.

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DRAWING-ROOM, sitting-room, dining-room, hall and sleeping-room, 6 bedrooms, maids' room; 4 bathrooms; large basement; hot water heating. Tennis lawn, kitchen garden, orchard. Two hundred and fifty feet waterfrontage. Garage for two cars.

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GENTLEMAN'S home on the waterfront; 10 acres of land. Must be reliable tenant. Pemberton & Son.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

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BABY Chicks! Baby Chicks!—Special prices on day-old chicks this season. See me for any quantity. Electric and Blue Flame brooders cheap. John Day, Government St. Market. Phone 1655. The Home of the New Laid Egg.

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HATCHING eggs—Can spare limited number White Wyandottes, also Barron's strain White Leghorns, $1.25, guaranteed fertile. Grey, Glenacres, Luxton, R.M.D. 2.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27
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WANTED—Fresh milk goat, hornless preferred. Phone 5355L1.

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FOR Sale—Late model Chevrolet, specially equipped for touring. 2550 Fernwood Road. Fernwood Garage.

FOR Sale—1920 Ford touring, with starter, one-man top; in good shape; $325. Phone 7734R2.

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$2250—SEVEN-ROOM, absolutely modern house; fine reception-room, dining-room with open fire, spacious kitchen, den, full bathroom, three bedrooms, sleeping porch, unexcelled marine views; new furnace. Easy terms.

$3500—FIVE-ROOM, absolutely modern and attractive bungalow; pleasant reception room, fine drawing-room with handsome built-in buffet; two bright bedrooms, complete bathroom, with enclosed laundry tubs. Nice garden and new garage. Would trade for larger house. Terms.

$20,000 OR OFFER—For one of Victoria's finest suburban residences of ten rooms. Commanding in appearance, unequalled in construction; hardwood floors, hot water heat; two bathrooms; two acres of ornamental grounds.

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$2400 — FURNISHED BUNGALOW—A well-constructed house on solid rock foundation; full cement-floored basement; panelled hall and living-room; big, bright kitchen; two bedrooms; modern bathroom. Condition throughout as good as new. Taxes only $11. Terms arranged.

$3000 — SEMI-BUNGALOW of six rooms; very large living-room with built-in features, open fire and hardwood floor; cosy dining-room, Dutch kitchen, 2 bedrooms, furnace. Light taxes. Easy terms arranged.

SNAPS IN BUILDING SITES—Richardson, near Cook, $475; Moss, near Richardson, $400; Milton St., Oak Bay, $175; Herbinger Ave., $450; Robertson, near Foul Bay Beach, very big lot, $350; Oak Bay, near Bowker Beach, $820.

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$2375—THIS price includes the furniture of a comfortable 4-roomed house, with large cemented basement; parlor panelled and open fireplace. House wall built on stone wall foundation, and in excellent condition. Cement sidewalks. Situated in Victoria West, just outside city limits. Taxes only about $10.50.

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For further particulars apply

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$400 CASH will secure, at $1,300, a commodious six-room bungalow, near Douglas Street, north of Burnside Road, with hall, living-room, dining-room, pantry, kitchen, bathroom and three bedrooms. Basement with concrete foundation and earth floor. Seventy-foot lot, on asphalt street. This is a genuinely good house, and is easily worth $2,700 today. Can be seen only by appointment.

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$3300 FOR one of the nicest 5-room bungalows in Victoria. Fully modern, beamed ceiling, built-in features; full cement basement, with good furnace, laundry tubs. Garage and splendid garden, with lots of fruit. This price is $1,000 below value.

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$5250—BRAND new 5-room bungalow; all built-in features, hardwood floors, hot water heating, fireplaces in living-room and dining room. This is one of the best built bungalows and is situated in the best part of Oak Bay. R. B. Punnett, Pemberton Block. Phone 3037.

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BERT G. ROBINSON 725 Fort St.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
(Continued)

FOR QUICK SALE

STANLEY AVENUE—Modern and exceptionally well built semi-bungalow of seven rooms, just been reshingled, large lot; moderate taxes. Price $2,520, easy terms. — $2500

RICHMOND ROAD—Two blocks off Fort Street; modern and attractive bungalow of six rooms, in splendid shape throughout; open fireplace; built-in features; basement and laundry tubs. Price $2,750. Terms to suit. — $2750

WILSON STREET—Modern bungalow of five rooms, newly painted and redecorated throughout. Just been reshingled; concrete foundation and basement; approximately one-half acre of land. Price, to close an estate, only $2,602. — $2600

CHAPMAN STREET, Fairfield — Modern seven-roomed dwelling, in splendid shape throughout; built-in features, open fireplace; cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs, garage, etc. Present rental $29 per month. Price only $2,570. — $2570

P. R. BROWN & SONS
1112 Broad Street Phone 1076

SUMMER RESORTS 41

BEACH HOUSE HOTEL, Sidney, B.C.—Hot lunch served daily, 50 cents. Home cooking.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

FOR Sale—Fruit and poultry farm, five acres, two in strawberries, six-room house, modern; young orchard 150 trees; chicken houses; barn; all cleared land. Situate near Elk Lake. Address Owner, Box 499, Colonist.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 43

ABOUT ONE ACRE RICH GARDEN SOIL and a modern 5-room bungalow with cement basement, plastered; just past end of Douglas St. car line. Chicken house and shed. Clear title and low taxes. A gift at $1,300.

ONE ACRE BEAUTIFUL GARDEN, with all kinds of fruit, and a very comfortable bungalow, containing 4 rooms, nicely furnished, modern bathroom and sleeping porch; high location, with beautiful view, garage and chicken houses. A complete home. Price $2,600, terms.

$10,000 ULTRA-MODERN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE, hardwood floors, hot water heating, 2 bathrooms, 2 sleeping porches; in fact, a most charming house, situated in a secluded, well-wooded garden of one acre (more acreage can be obtained), in desirable location.

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BEAUTIFUL residential site in Burleith subdivision, with waterfrontage on Gorge. An ideal place to build, with good homes all around.

PRICE $1,050.

OAK BAY Waterfrontage. We have a new subdivision of very choice property, extra large lots and building restrictions for the protection of purchasers.

PRICES REASONABLE.

CADBORO BAY—3 big waterfront lots, making over ¾ of an acre.

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LANGFORD LAKE—Extra good lots, on best part of the lake. Only a few left; easy approach to the lake. Close to main road.

PRICES $652 UP.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
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THIRTY-THREE ACRES FOR $3,303

BIGGEST acreage bargain ever offered in Victoria vicinity. Less than six miles out, fronting on good road, property all fenced. About half cleared, balance lightly timbered. New house, large barn and other outbuildings, some fruit trees, good water supply. Terms given to responsible party.

J. GREENWOOD
1222 Government Street

COMPLETE WATERFRONT HOME

LARGE lot, with some nice shade trees; good soil, in garden and fruit, all fenced. Excellent well, rocked and piped with double-action force pump. Water laid on to house and garden. Large garage. Comfortable cottage with sitting-room, bedroom, kitchenette, sleeping porch, cupboards, meat safe, sink, etc. Also included in price is a quantity of furniture, including cook stove, bed, cooking utensils, etc. Also boathouse, rowboat and oars. Good boating, fishing and excellent sea bathing.

Price $2,200

A. S. BARTON WISE & CO., LTD.
111 Pemberton Bldg.
Phone 2901

IN South Saanich, close to sea, fine land. Will sell at reasonable figure. Come and see owner. Box 641, Colonist.

FOR sale—4-roomed cottage and just over one acre of cleared land, in first-class condition; near Saanichton, on main highway. Particulars, phone 3860.

FOR Sale—Small chicken ranch, with fully modern six-roomed house; 1½ acres land. Phone 5921R2, or Box 333, Colonist.

LANGFORD—A snap—3½ acres, new 5-roomed cottage, septic tank and water. Phone 6387X.

SMALL FRUIT RANCH, conveniently situated near station; 3½ acres in raspberries, 2 acres in strawberries, all in their best bearing year; several acres in grass; soil excellent for small fruit. 4-roomed dwelling, barn; creek on property. Price $5,000; easy terms. About 4 acres in strawberries (close by) can be rented.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station E. & N. Rly.

WHO wants acre best land Victoria suburbs, near Gorge? Deep black loam, no rock, mostly cleared, some trees, suit fruit, vegetables, chickens; good road, waterfrontage, light and water available; $650. Owner, 290 Maddock Avenue.

CHEAP LAND
LESS THAN $21 PER ACRE, AND 10-YEAR TERMS

34 ACRES, with 8 acres of good land, $700.

51 ACRES, with 10 acres of good land, some partly cleared, $1,260.

Both pieces have good water supply, considerable timber, and are centrally situated on existing road in established community, 25 miles from Victoria.

Further particulars from Owner, Box 11,002, Colonist.

$1200—100 ACRES, within 15 miles of Victoria. Timber enough to pay for place. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

SPECIAL

IDEAL SUMMER HOMESITE ON SAANICH INLET—THE ONLY CHOICE PIECE LEFT JUST OFF THE WEST SAANICH ROAD

6.4 ACRES

Having 400 ft. of waterfrontage, large tennis court. Before buying elsewhere, look at this first. Good well. Low taxes. Price $2,200 cash, or $2,500 terms.

BRENTWOOD COTTAGE

3-ROOMED house, with boathouse. Lot 55x110. Price only (½ cash, balance in one year), $850.

H. G. DALBY & CO
624 View Opp. Spencer's

READY-MADE FORM GIVEN AWAY

$3,500—Located within five miles of City Hall; 3 acres of warm, productive soil, standing high with S.W. slope, all cleared, absolutely no rock; 2,000 strawberry plants, lots of logans and raspberries, all nicely fenced. Smart comfortable four-room modern bungalow with basement, water installed; new and modern chicken houses for 500 birds with wired-in runs; cow barn and garage; pretty garden, three minutes to interurban depot. Price includes superior and complete house furnishings, 102 purebred birds and fine family cow due to freshen. Half cash. Harry Amphlett, 212 Union Bank Building. Phone 5900.

3-ACRE RANCH, beautifully situated on main paved road, close in, being twenty minutes' drive from city. This ranch contains chicken houses for 500 birds, all latest models. 5-room house, garage in basement, which cost $3,200 to build.

PRICE $4,200; small cash payment, balance monthly at 7 per cent interest.

This is a very attractive proposition. All the chickens go with it.

MITCHELL & SHEPHERD
20-21 Board of Trade Building

NICE COUNTRY HOME BARGAIN

2 ACRES; 1 acre cultivated. 5-roomed bungalow, with all modern conveniences, city water, etc.; garage, stable; near Mount Tolmie; 2½-mile circle. Only $2,500.

BAGSHAWE & CO.

$1350—10 ACRES choice land, Saanich District, new log house, good timber. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

4 ACRES and a 3-room cottage, open fireplace, fenced chicken house and good well, 20 minutes' ride from City Hall, $1,200, terms arranged. Phone 7...

ACREAGE FOR SALE 43
(Continued)

PHOENIX ASSURANCE CO., LTD.
(London, England)

WELL-APPOINTED ACREAGE AT LOW PRICES

HAPPY VALLEY—3-roomed plastered cottage and about 5 2-3 acres, all cleared and fenced. Good supply of water. About 3 miles from city. Close to school, church, P.O. and railway station. Good transportation. Only $2,300.

AT the junction of Metchosin and Happy Valley Roads—4.71 acres; practically all cleared, with the exception of a few large trees. About 8 miles from the centre of the city. Price for the whole only $350.

SAANICH PENINSULA Waterfrontage, about 9 miles from centre of city. About 12 acres of land, all good and lightly timbered. Beautiful view. This land could easily be divided into small tracts. Per acre, only $200.

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922 Government Street
Phone 125

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POULTRY RANCHES

10 ACRES, partly cleared; about 6 acres of first-class soil. A running stream through the property. A new bungalow of 5 rooms, well planned. Rooms are large and nicely finished. Situated on main road, 1½ miles from railway station, close to school; telephone and rural mail delivery. This is a real bargain at $2,930. Terms arranged.

$3950 WILL purchase this modern poultry ranch; 4 acres of land. A modern bungalow, in excellent condition. Poultry houses for 600 birds. Situated close to railway station, postoffice, school and store. The price is for a going concern, including about 300 laying hens.

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
625 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

THE CHEAPEST BUY IN VICTORIA

TWO REALLY CHOICE BUILDING LOTS on Dewdney Avenue, backing on Uplands, close to main gates. The owner has instructed us to cut the price on these from $500 each to $700 for the pair. They are ideally situated, and command a beautiful view. Nothing finer any place, and absolutely the chance of a lifetime to secure a splendid homesite.

DUNFORD'S, LIMITED
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$400—HAMPSHIRE ROAD, near Brighton, full-size lot.
$225—ZELA STREET, just off St. Patrick Street.
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$125—GOOD buildings, situate in the best part of Esquimalt district.

THE CITY BROKERAGE A. T. Abbey, Mgr.
633 View Street Phone 315

PROPERTY WANTED 45

WANTED—SEAFRONT property, near Victoria, also country home. G. C. Howell, 108 Pemberton Bldg.

FARMS WANTED 46

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.

ACREAGE FOR RENT 50

160 ACRES, 32 cultivated, to rent or lease, beautifully situated opposite Ladysmith; waterfrontage, orchard, dwelling, barns, dairy, chicken houses, all in excellent condition; farm implements, etc. Box 111, Ladysmith.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan on improved property. Dunlop & Foot, Barristers, 512 Sayward Bldg.

IN sums ranging from $250 to $25,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply P. R. Brown & Sons, 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1076.

MONEY to loan on approved security, business or dwelling house property. A. W. Jones, Limited.

MONEY to Loan on improved property. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 608 View Street. Phone 55.

TO LEASE 54

TO Lease—Dairy farm, 3 miles from up-island town with big industrial payroll; 131 acres, 50 cultivated. Good house, barns, etc. Excellent opportunity. Pemberton & Son.

PERSONAL 56

FITS, epilepsy permanently relieved by Trench's Remedy, 35 years' success. Simple home treatment. Thousands testimonials. Write at once for free book. Trench's Remedies, Limited, Dept. 8, 79 Adelaide East, Toronto. Cut this out.

JOHN FRANCIS has discovered the only natural and permanent healer for lame back, indigestion, constipation, and piles, indirectly for reducing and an aid to longevity. No drugs, exercises or dieting. Copyright in England and U.S.A. Price $2. Box 664, P.O., Victoria.

KIWANIS MINSTRELS, April 7, 8 and 9, PANTAGES THEATRE.

LADY and gentleman, with own car, intending to tour California about middle of April, would like to hear of four persons who would join party and share expenses. Apply Box 318, Colonist.

TO Hunters and Trappers—We pay the full market value of raw seasoned furs. Old firm. 566 Johnson Street.

WANTED—Those suffering the agony of varicose ulcers and kindred complaints to call and interview Nurse Curtis for particulars of "Varex Treatment." No pain; no need to lay up. Address Room 1, Haileybury Building, 604 Fort St., Victoria.

WE buy second-hand tents; don't mind few holes. 566 Johnson Street. Phone 3876.

AGENTS WANTED 59

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EARN upwards $25 weekly, growing mushrooms for us all Spring and Summer; commence at once. Illustrated booklet and particulars for stamp. Canada Mushroom Company, Dept. 7, 260 Garden Ave., Toronto.

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WILL give, on commission, exclusive selling rights for Vancouver Island for fast-selling article, automobile trade. For full particulars, write Mr. Atkinson, Lotus Hotel, Vancouver, B.C.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

ADVERTISER wishes to purchase immediately small tract of timber near Victoria. Apply immediately, Box 685, Colonist.

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

RYAN MACINTOSH TIMBER COMPANY, LIMITED, TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts. Crown grant or license, in any part of the Province. 722 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

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NICHOLSON & WILLIS, Sooke Harbor Hotel.

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W. J. BRICK, 607 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 1578.

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F. H. ALLWOOD, B.C.L.S., 1716 St. Ann St. Phone 7681L2.

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PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that I shall, on the 10th day of April, 1924, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Cobble Hill Hotel, Cobble Hill, hold an adjourned sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said Electoral District, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the Provincial Elections Act.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of March, 1924.

GEO. H. MABON,
Registrar of Voters,
Electoral District.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that I shall, on the 7th day of April, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, B.C., hold a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said Electoral District, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the Provincial Elections Act.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 22nd day of February, 1924.

GEO. H. MABON,
Registrar of Voters,
Electoral District.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that I shall, on the 7th day of April, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, B.C., hold a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said Electoral District, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the Provincial Elections Act.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 22nd day of February, 1924.

GEO. H. MABON,
Registrar of Voters,
Electoral District.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED

Sealed Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Scenic Railway," will be received by the Purchasing Agent of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, 1016 Langley Street, Victoria, B.C., up to 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 26th day of March, 1924, for the purchase of the Scenic Railway (other than cars, equipment and machinery), now situate at the Gorge Park, Esquimalt.

The Scenic Railway must be removed by the Purchaser before the 30th April, 1924.

Inspection arranged by the Company's Engineer, on application. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1924.

A. RICHARDSON,
Purchasing Agent.

Bartholomew's

Closing-Out Sale

1410 Douglas Street

High Class Furniture Stock 20% to 30% Reduction

This Is an Excellent Opportunity for Genuine Bargains

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Oak Sectional Bookcases, $29 and $19.00
Swivel Office Chairs, $12.50 to 4.50
Extension Dining Tables, $30 to 9.50
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Mahogany Four-Post Bed, complete 55.00
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Finance and Commerce

SIGNS OF RECOVERY FEATURED ON 'CHANGE

Cheapest Money Since 1918 Aids in Renewed Upward Swing of New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 21.—Stock prices showed signs of recovery in today's relatively quiet session, bear traders apparently suspending their campaign for lower prices.

Strength of high-priced specialties was one of the features of the day. Corn Products and National Lead closed at 178 and 144 respectively, the net gain being three points in each case.

While some of today's covering represented the usual week-end evening up of commitments much of it was reported to have been inspired by the continuation of remarkably low money rates, call loans on the Stock Exchange getting as low as 2½ per cent, the lowest official rate since the Summer of 1918.

Pivotals Show Gains

United States Steel, common, Baldwin, Studebaker and American Can, the so-called pivotal stocks, showed small fractional net gains.

Motors were firm on short covering. Atlantic Refining was hammered down five points to 118, a new 1924 low, but the other oils showed a tendency to improve.

Reports that the Interstate commerce commission might not approve the proposed lease of the Norfolk and Western to the Pennsylvania sent the former stock down nearly four points.

Most of the rails were firm.

The further recovery of the French franc to a new 1924 high around 5¼, featured to foreign exchange markets.

Call money opened at three per cent and then dropped to two and one-half. Bids for thirty days time money were reduced to four per cent, but practically all of the business for short dates was done on a 4¼ to 4½ basis, six months' loans commanding 4¾. Prime commercial paper was still on a 4¾ per cent basis.

Money Lowest in Five Years

With the official rate on call money dropping to 2½ per cent the lowest rate since April, 1918, surplus funds continued to flow into the bond market today bolstering up prices of high grade issues to new high levels.

United States Government obligations, eagerly sought by banks as an outlet for their exchange supplies of money, attained the highest figures of the year.

Offerings of short term securities were readily absorbed at rising prices and a widening demand for first class railroad, public utility and industrial liens brought gains throughout these sections.

(Supplied by Two Local Stockbrokers Over Direct New York Wire)
All Fractions in Eighths

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	43	43	43
Allied Chem.	66-7	66-5	66-6
Amer. Beet Sugar	37	37	37
Amer. Bosch Mag.	28	27-4	28
Amer. Can.	116-6	114-4	116
Amer. Car & Fdy.	161	160-4	160-4
Amer. Intl. Cpn.	18-6	17-6	18-2
Amer. Linseed	15	14-2	14-5
Amer. Locomotive	73	72-5	73
Amer. Ship & Comm.	13	13	13
Amer. Smelters	60	60	60
Amer. Steel Fdy.	37	37	37
Amer. Sugar	51-2	50	51-2
Amer. Sum. Tob.	14	13-4	14
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	159-1	129-1	129-1
Amer. Woolens	72-5	71-5	71-5
Anaconda	36-5	35-1	36-3
Atlantic Gulf	14-6	14-5	14-5
Atchison	99-3	99	99
Baldwin Loco	120-5	119-5	120-1
Baltimore & Ohio	55-5	55-2	55-3
Bethlehem Steel	52-5	51-5	52-5
Brooklyn Manhat.	17-2	16-5	17-1
California Packing	84-4	83-4	84-2
California Pete	25-3	24-2	24-6
Canadian Pacific	141-3	145-2	145-2
Cast Iron Pipe	81	78-2	79-1
Cerro de Pasco	45-2	45	45
Central Leather	15	14-4	14-7
Chandler	50-5	49	50-1
Chesapeake & Ohio	76-2	75-5	76
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	15	14-6	16
Chic., Mil. & St. P. pfd.	25-1	25	25-1
Chic. & Northwest	50	49-4	49-4
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	23	22-4	23
Chile Copper	26-7	26-0	26-7
Coca Cola	65-5	64-2	65-4
Columbia Gas	35-4	33-4	33-4
Cons. Gas	61-6	61-3	61-5
Cont. Can.	49-5	45-8	49
Corn Products	178-4	175	178
Cosden Oil	36-1	35-5	35-1
Cuba C. Sugar	15	14-5	15
Cuba C. Sugar pfd.	66	65-3	66
Crucible Steel	57-2	56	56-4
Davison Chem.	54-4	51-4	53-5
Del., Lack. & West	120	116-4	119-6
Dupont Powder	130	129	129
Endicott Johnson	61-2	60-4	61-2
Erie	26-2	25	26-1
Erie 1st pfd.	35	33-6	35
Famous Players	65-4	65-3	65-4
General Asphalt	39-2	37-7	39-2
General Electric	230-6	226-4	227-4
General Motors	14-7	14-6	14-7
Goodrich Rubber	19-5	19-5	19-5
Granby	14	14	14
Great Northern Ore	25-7	29-3	29-3
Great Northern pfd.	56-4	55-1	55-4
Gulf States Steel	76-5	75	76-2
Houston Oil	69-3	67-4	69-2
Illinois Central	102-7	102	102-6
Inspiration	23-4	23-3	23-4
Intl. Harv.	82-6	82-6	82-6
Intl. Mer. Mar. pfd.	28	27-4	28
Intl. Nickel	13-5	13-1	13-5
Intl. Paper	36-2	34-2	36-2
Invincible Oil	14-3	14-2	14-3
Julius Kayser	26	26	26
Kan. City Southern	18	18	18
Kennecott Copper	35-2	35-1	35-2
Kelly Springfield	16-6	15-6	16-4
Keystone Tire	2-2	2-1	2-1
Kresge	340	340	340
Lehigh Valley	68	68	68
Louis. & Nash	90-5	90-6	90-6
Mack Truck	81	83-7	83-7
Maxwell "A"	47-1	47-1	47-2
Maxwell "B"	13	13	13
Mex. Seaboard	16-5	13	16-5
Miami	21-3	21-3	21-3
Middlestates Oil	4-5	4-3	4-4
Midvale Steel	29	29	29
M., St. P. & S.S.M.	56	55	56
Miss. Pacific	11-7	11-7	11-7
Miss. Pac. pfd.	37-4	37-4	37-4
Moon Motor	23	23	23
National Enamel	32-2	32-1	32-1
National Lead	144	140-6	144
Nevada Cons.	15-7	15-6	15-7
Norfolk & West	126-6	126-1	126-1
North American	23-3	23	23
Northern Pacific	50	49-4	49-4
N.Y. Central	100-7	100-2	100-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	18-5	17-3	17-5
N.Y., Ont. & West	17	17	17
Packard Motor	10-7	10-6	10-6
Pacific Oil	51	49-6	50-0
Pan American	47-7	47	47-7
Pan American "B"	46-1	45-4	46
Pennsylvania R.R.	43-6	43-6	43-6
People's Gas	95-4	95-4	95-4
Pere Marquette	41-4	41-4	41-4
Phillips Pete	39-3	38	39-1
Pierce Arrow	9-1	8-0	8-0
Prod. & Ref.	32-4	30-4	32-3
Pullman Co.	116	115-6	116
Punta Allegre	64-1	63	63-4
Pure Oil	23-4	23-1	23-4
Rail. Steel Spring	110-4	110-4	110-4
Ray Cons.	9-6	9-4	9-5
Reading	54-3	54-2	54-2
Replogle Steel	9-5	9-5	9-5
Rep. Iron & Steel	49-7	48-2	49
Reynolds Tob. "B"	67-5	67	67
Royal Dutch	55-5	54-7	55-5
Shell Union	18-3	18	18-2
Sinclair Cons.	23-3	21-7	22-1
Sloss Sheffield	59	58	59
Southern Pacific	85-7	85-5	85-6
Southern Railway	55-2	54-3	55
Standard Oil, Cal.	62	60-1	61-1
Standard Oil, N.J.	37-2	36-4	37-1
Standard Oil, Ind.	60-5	60-2	60-5
Stewart Warner	81-4	79-5	81
Stromberg Carb.	68-4	68-4	68-4
Studebaker	96-7	95-5	96
Tennessee Copper	7-3	7-2	7-2
Texas Co.	41-7	41-4	41-5
Texas Gulf Sulphur	60-3	59-7	59-7
Texas Pac. R.R.	26-2	26-1	26-1
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	10-3	10-3	10-2
Timken Roller	37-2	36-4	36-4
Tobacco Prod.	58-2	57-7	58
Trans. Oil	4-1	4	4-1
Union Pacific	129-4	128-7	125-4
United Fruit	155	195	195
U.S. Ind. Alco	69-4	68-0	69-3
U.S. Rubber	30-6	29-2	30-4
U.S. Steel	99-4	98-5	98-7
U.S. Smelting	31	31	31
Utah Copper	65-6	65-4	65-6
Vanadium	26-4	25-3	25-7
Virginia Chem.	1-3	1-3	1-3
Wabash	47-2	46-7	47
Western Union	108	108	108
Westing. Elec.	60-7	60-4	60-6
White Motor	55-5	55-5	55-5
Willys-Overland	10-7	10-5	10-5
Woolworth	330-5	325	330-2

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 21.—Foreign exchanges irregular.

Great Britain—Demand, 455⅝; cables, 429⅞; 60-day bills on banks, 427⅝.
France—Demand, 5.24; cables, 5.25.
Italy—Demand, 4.51⅜; cables, 4.32⅜.
Belgium—Demand, 4.10; cables, 4.11.
Germany—Demand (per trillion), .52.
Holland—Demand, 37.00.
Norway, 13.85.
Sweden, 26.39.
Denmark, 15.60.
Switzerland, 17.30½.
Spain, 13.06.
Greece, 1.71.
Poland, .000012.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, 2.89⅝.
Jugo-Slavia, 1.52⅝.
Austria, .0014⅛.
Roumania—Demand, .51½.
Brazil, 11.00.
Argentina—Demand, 32.75.
Tokio, 41⅛.
Montreal, 97 3-16.

WHEAT PRICES MAKE FRACTIONAL ADVANCE

Market Very Narrow and Most of Buying for Short Covering

(By British-American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, March 21.—Another very narrow grain market prevailed today. Fluctuations did not reach one-cent ranges in any delivery. Wheat and corn gained a few friends, but probably most of the buying was for the account of short covering. Wheat supplies are very large, and it is likely that a record carry-over to the new crop will be seen this season. In the absence of a good export demand it is difficult to see how any advances in wheat can be maintained. Corn is not showing much rallying power after its break, although the possibility of an advance in corn should be much better than in wheat. Last quotations were the day's highs in all grains.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	101⅞	105½	104⅛	105
July	106	106⅛	105⅝	106¼
Sept.	107⅞	107⅞	106⅞	107⅛
Corn—				
May	78⅛	78⅝	78	78⅛
July	79⅛	79⅝	79⅝	79½
Sept.	79⅝	80⅛	79⅝	79⅝
Oats—				
May	47½	47⅝	47⅝	47½
July	46⅝	45⅛	45⅛	45⅝
Sept.	42	42⅛	41⅞	42
Rye—				
May	67	67⅛	67	67¼

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
2 O'CLOCK LIST

	Bid.	Asked.
Industrials		
Acme Coal	1⅝	2⅛
Centrifugal	29	30
Checker Cab	10	19
Durant Del.	20⅛	21
Mecabi	5½	6
Stutz	8⅝	9¼
Radio	4	4⅛
Reo	16⅝	16⅞
Tob. Prod. Ex.	4½	4⅝
Un. Profit Shar	6⅛	6⅝
Un. Retail Candy	4⅛	4½
Cities Svc., com.	144⅝	145
Cities Svc., pfd.	72⅝	75
Cities Svc., Bkrs.	14⅝	14½
Oils		
Carib	4½	5
Federal	26	29
Glenrock	22	25
Int. Pete	18½	19
Marl Mexico	3⅛	5⅝
Mexico Oil	12	15
Mutual Oil	11⅛	11⅝
Noble Oil	9	11
Pennock	14	14⅛
Ryan Cons.	4⅛	4⅝
Sapulpa	1⅞	2
Salt Cr. Prod.	21⅝	22
Salt Cr. Cons.	8	8½
Seaboard Oil	1	1 1-16
Wilcox	7⅛	7¼
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	5	6
Butte & West	15	20
Cal. Jerome	5	5
Candalabria	1	2
Cons. Copper	2⅛	2⅝
Cresson	3 15-16	4
Delores	50	55
Eureka	8	9
Hecla	9	9¼
Hollinger	11½	11⅝
Howe Sound	2⅝	2⅞
Ind. Lead	10	11
J. C. Dev.	1	1¼
Kerr Lake	1⅝	1⅞
Mason Valley	1⅛	1⅞
Ny. Porcupine	10	20
Nipissing	6⅛	6⅝
Ohio Cop.	65	79
Ray Herc.	13	17
Success	40	46
Teck Hughes	1 5-16	1¼
Un. Eastern	84	87
Un. Verde	24	24⅛
Wayne Coal	11	65

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 21.—Sterling exchange irregular at $4.27¼ for 60-day bills and $4.30 for demand.

At Victoria

Buying, 4.41; selling, 4.46.

No. 109-C

MESSRS.
ROBERTS & MELLOR

Instructed by L. J. Levy, will sell at public auction at his store, 577 Johnson Street,

TODAY
At 2 and 7:30 P.M.

The remaining portion of his

Surplus Stock of Miscellaneous Goods

Including Jewelry, Wrist Watches, fine Beaded Bags, Musical Instruments, Boker and Safety Razors, Suitcases, Handbags, Fountain Pens, Pencils, Sheffield Pocket Knives, etc., etc.

On view this morning.

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McCloy's Livestock Auction

Tomorrow, Saturday, at 11 A.M.
On Victoria Market Square

Horses and Cows

"Multnomah" Drag Saw, Incubators and Brooders, Etc.

The Cows include 4-year-old reg. Holstein "Lakelands Abigail Walula" (79194); fresh Jersey-Holstein (4½ gals.); Jersey Heifer (3½ gals.), fresh 9 weeks; fine family Jersey Cow, due June; 8 mos. Holstein Heifer (granddaughter of Dr. Tolmie's 10½-gal. cow); nice Jersey-Holstein (first calf), milking 3 gals.; and others.

Horses include teams and singles, and will be sold immediately after the cows. Also Chickens and other livestock.

Note—Further entries taken up to hour of sale, 11 a.m.

McCLOY & CO.
AUCTIONEERS

TENDERS FOR DRAINING

Tenders will be received for drainage work at Victoria High School Grounds. Plans and specifications in the office of the Victoria School Board, City Hall. Tenders to be delivered at the Board Office at or before four o'clock Monday afternoon, March 24.

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

LITTLE ACTIVITY SEEN IN WINNIPEG WHEAT

Prices Work Towards Higher Plane, But Recession Marks May and July at Close of Operations

WINNIPEG, March 21.—There was very little activity and no new developments in the wheat market today, and after a fractionally lower opening prices worked down to a low of 99⅛ for May and then reacted about ⅛ cent, remaining quite steady between 99⅛ and 99⅜. The local trade appeared to be watching Chicago, and this market worked along in sympathy. At the close both May and July recorded a loss of ⅛ cent, while October improved ⅛ cent.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	99⅝	100	99¼	99⅞
July	101⅝	101⅞	101¼	101⅝b
Oct.	99⅛	99⅝	99⅛	95⅝b
Oats—				
May	39⅜	39½	39¼	39⅜b
July	40⅝	40½	40⅝	40½
Barley—				
May	61¼	62b	61⅜	61⅜b
July	59⅝	55⅝	59½	59½
Flax—				
May	214	214	211⅝	212b
July	214	214	211¼	212b
Rye—				
May	60¼	66⅝	66¼a	66¼a
July	67⅝	67⅝b	67⅝	67½b

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 97⅞; 2 nor., 94⅞; 3 nor., 90⅞; No. 4, 80⅜; No. 6, 80⅜; No. 6, 74⅞; feed, 70⅞; track, 98⅝.

Oats—2 cw., 37⅜; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 34⅞; 1 feed, 53⅞; 2 feed, 31⅞; rejected, 25⅝; track, 38⅛.

Barley—3 cw., 62; 4 cw., 55½; rejected, 52⅜; feed, 51⅜; track, 62.

Flax—1 nwc., 210⅛; 3 cw., 505¼; 3 cw. and rejected, 187; track, 210⅝.

Rye—2 cw., 64⅝.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Asked.
Mining		
Boundary Red Mountain	..	.20
Bowena Copper	..	.10
Coalmont Collieries	..	30.00
Consolidated M. & S.	24.00	..
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.02
Dunwell Mines	4.00	4.50
Granby	14.50	..
Hazelton Gold-Cabalt	..	.03
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.65
Howe Sound	2.75	3.50
Indian Mines	.20	.85
International Coal	..	.15½
Liberator Mining Co.	..	.05
McGillivray Coal	.55	.75
Premier Mines	..	2.75
Sheep Creek Consolidated	..	.00½
Silver Crest Mines	..	.03
Silversmith	..	.37
Snug Cove Copper	..	.02
Standard Silver Lead	..	.20
Sunloch Mines	..	.25
Surf Inlet Gold	..	.17
Independence	..	.27
Rufus	..	.17
Glacier Creek	.28	.30
Am. Mining & Mill.	..	1.00
Terminus	..	.25
Oils		
Athabasca Oil	..	.10
Boundary Bay Oil	.00 1-16	.00⅛
Empire Oil	..	.00⅝
Spartan Oil	..	.00⅝
Sweetgrass	.00 11-16	.00¾
Trojan Oil	..	.05⅝
B.C. Montana	..	.00¼
British Pete.	..	.41
Miscellaneous		
Allen Theatre (pref.)	24.00	..
B.C. Perm. Loan	94.00	100.00
Canada National Fire	..	48.00
C. P. R.	146.00	151.00
Great West Perm. Loan	..	22.50
Gregory Tire & Rubber	..	2.50

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
All Fractions in Eighths

	Close
Abitibi	28
Asbestos	62-4
Bell Telephone	125-4
Brompton Paper	59-2
Brazilian Trac.	45-5
Can. Car Fdy. com.	48
Can. Cottons	100
Cons. M. & S.	37-2
Detroit United	61
Dominion Bridge	77-2
Dominion Canners	32
Dominion Textile	60-5
Lake of Woods Milling	173
Laurentide Co.	92
National Breweries	51
Atlantic Sugar	16
Shawinigan	130-0
Spanish River Pulp	108-4
Steel of Canada	80-3
Toronto Railway	63
Wayagamack Pulp	49

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Lake Shore	380	385
Teck Hughes	122	124
Beaver Consol	28	29
Hollinger Cons.	11.90	12.00
Newray Mines	36	37
Temiskaming	29	31
Wasapika Cons	3	5¼
Dome Mines	18.55	18.65
Frest E. Dome pfd.	12½	13
Vipond Cons.	120	121
Thompson Krist	5½	6
Atlas	4	4⅝
McKinley Dar S.	14¼	14½
West Dome Lake	21	21½
Mining Corp. Can.	243	..
Moneta	20	21
Clifton	7½	8
Coniagas	210	230
Goldale	26½	27
Indian	20½	21

VICTORY AND WAR LOAN

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Buy	Sell
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
Interest due		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	102.50	103.50
1933, 1st May and Nov.	104.65	105.65
1937, 1st June and Dec.	106.50	107.50
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1925, 1st June and Dec.	100.40	101.40
1931, 1st April and Oct.	100.80	101.80
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept. (Payable New York.)	102.25	193.85
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1924, 1st May and Nov.	100.15	101.15
1927, 1st May and Nov.	151.40	102.40
1932, 1st May and Nov.	101.55	192.85
1934, 1st May and Nov.	102.40	103.40
Dominion Loan, 5%		
1928, 15th April and Oct.	99.90	100.90
1943, 15th April and Oct.	59.50	150.50

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 21.—Copper quiet. Electrolytic, spot and futures 13⅝c to 14c. Tin easier, spot $50 to $56.25. Iron unchanged. Lead steady, spot $9. Zinc quiet, East St. Louis, spot and nearby $6.50. Antimony, spot $11.25.

At London

LONDON, March 21.—Standard copper, spot £66 7s 6d; futures £67 7s 6d. Electrolytic, spot £72 10s; futures £72 10s. Tin, spot and futures £279 7s 6d. Zinc, spot £35 10s; futures £35 2s 6d.

U. S. LIBERTY BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Liberty 3½'s	99.24	@ 99.31
Liberty 1st 4's	99.20	@ 100.00
Liberty 2nd 4's	99.21	@ 99.28
Liberty 1st 4¼'s	99.26	@ 99.27
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	95.24	@ 99.56
Liberty 3rd 4¼'s	100.09	@ 100.10
U. S.	100.15	@ 100.12

NEW YORK COTTON

(By British-American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	28.78	28.80	28.50	28.61
May	28.97	88.97	28.65	28.87
July	28.26	88.50	29.06	28.51
October	26.75	55.66	25.57	25.75
December	25.36	25.36	25.26	25.38
Spot	.....	.....	.....	28.50

RAW SUGAR

(By British-American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
March	6.08	4.96	6.04
May	5.10	4.96	6.07
July	5.14	6.02	6.12
September	5.11	4.98	6.09
December	4.61	4.59	4.61
Spot	....	....	5⅛

MONEY MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 21.—Call money easy; high 5; low 2½; ruling rate 5; closing bid 2½; offered at 2¾; last loan 2½; call loans against acceptances 2½.

Time loans easy; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4¾; 4-6 months, 4¾ to 4⅞.

Prime commercial paper 4¼ to 4⅞.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, March 21.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 6.65; refined granulated, 8.40 to 8.60.

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 21.—Bar silver 64⅛. Mexican dollars 49.

Dow Jones' Summary

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Ratio Federal reserve system 80.8, against 80.3 a week ago and 78.4 a year ago.

Ratio New York Federal Reserve bank 89.5, against 86.7 a week ago and 86.7 a year ago.

House naval committee disapproves navy department's plan for $20,000,000 naval base at Alameda, Cal.

Consulting engineers complete report for Minneapolis & St. Louis, the first step in bringing road out of receivership.

Radio Corporation of American year ended December 31, 1923, net after depreciation $4,737,773, against $2,974,580 in 1922.

Bondholders' committee adopts plan for payment of 2 per cent in April, 15 per cent first mortgage bonds of Des Moines 5 per cent first mortgage.

Sale of White Oil Corporation properties in Webster and Claiborne parishes, Louisiana, Columbia and Ouachita counties, Arkansas, to United Central Oil Corporation for $3,000,000 has been closed.

Dow Jones' Averages

Twenty industrials, 95.88, off 1.01.
Twenty active rails, 81.45, off .05.
Forty leading bonds, 87.86, up .09.

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS

WINNIPEG, March 21.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1924	1923
Montreal	$69,744,538	$98,106,039
Toronto	81,830,621	85,270,461
Winnipeg	35,592,247	55,103,606
Vancouver	15,262,268	12,126,833
Calgary	6,152,291	4,415,446
Ottawa	5,276,361	5,586,594
Quebec	4,847,128	4,748,332
Hamilton	4,365,411	5,029,562
Edmonton	3,575,681	3,475,493
Windsor	3,146,564	2,478,415
Regina	2,570,814	2,798,418
St. John	2,475,755	2,673,129
Halifax	2,294,790	2,564,520
London	2,286,319	2,394,685
Saskatoon	1,485,630	1,260,270
Moose Jaw	1,010,077	925,958
Kitchener	894,494	1,031,066
Brantford	786,771	888,549
Fort William	722,215	647,520
Peterboro	706,965	906,456
Sherbrooke	598,140	962,705
New Westminster	660,766	482,815
Moncton	651,010	901,967
Kingston	515,504	545,839
Brandon	467,277	435,807
Lethbridge	421,178	424,184
Prince Albert	557,460	516,517
Medicine Hat	257,668	310,217
Victoria	2,512,726	1,774,851

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 21.—Eggs down; potatoes firm; butter steady; cheese dull.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 35½c to 36c; No. 1 creamery, 34½c to 35c; seconds, 33½c to 34c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 34c to 35c; fresh firsts, 31c to 32c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $1.55 to $1.60.

Fire Losses and Company Incorporation of Week

TORONTO, March 21.—Fire losses in Canada during the week ended March 19 are estimated by The Monetary Times at $1,002,900, compared with $2,011,400 the corresponding week of 1923.

Authorized capital of $7,261,090 is reported by companies whose incorporations were reported during the week ended March 15, compared with $11,724,294 the corresponding week last year.

INCORPORATES IN PARIS

French Branch of Bank Nationale, Montreal, to Operate as Independent Organization

QUEBEC, March 21.—Incorporated under the name of Banque Canadienne Nationale, with a capital of 10,000,000 francs, the former Bank Nationale, Paris branch, which acquired much popularity for Canadians visiting abroad and also for the general advantage of the transaction of business between Canada and France, is to continue its operations, according to an announcement made here today.

THIRD PARTY IS REFUSED FAVOR

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Mr. MacNeill. It is generally expected that the inquiry will end some time next week, the fourth since it opened.

The confident attitude of the government as to the outcome of the inquiry was reflected yesterday in the unwonted lack of interest displayed by Premier Oliver, who has been a faithful and alert attendant at every session. The Premier slept peacefully through part of the morning's session.

Affidavit Rejected

A strenuous effort was made at the morning session by Mr. A. H. MacNeill, K. C., counsel for the Provincial Party, to introduce a statutory declaration made in Manitoba last week by Mrs. Thomas Bell, widow of a tie contractor on the construction of the railway.

Mr. MacNeill warmly protested against Mr. Justice Galliher's refusal to admit the document, following objection by government counsel. Counsel said the declaration was of vital importance, inasmuch as it threw light on the question of costs of subcontracts.

"If what this document says is true," urged Mr. MacNeill, "Your Lordship is a long, long way from getting to the bottom of these transactions. It will be most unsatisfactory and a lamentable circumstance if we cannot adduce this evidence."

"It is hearsay, and the affiant cannot be cross-examined—I cannot admit it," decided the commissioner.

Mr. MacNeill asked Mr. S. S. Taylor, K. C., senior counsel for the government, if the government would subpoena the witness and undertake to pay her expenses. Mr. Taylor refused point blank.

A Putative American

A jibe from the government counsel table about high-priced counsel and the funds at the disposal of the Provincial Party brought Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C., to his feet with a thrust at his opponents.

"Counsel on this side are not paid one red cent," declared Sir Charles. "I face all the high-priced counsel in this inquiry.

"And as to you, Mr. Taylor," said Sir Charles, "you are a citizen of California, and we citizens of British Columbia have to pay for your services here."

"I am a citizen of a country of a hundred and ten million people," replied Mr. Taylor, "the greatest country in the world. You can't run down my country."

From the slight diversion of this incident the inquiry settled down to the resumed examination of Mr. A. F. Proctor, chief engineer of the Provincial Railway Department.

In contradiction of the Provincial Party charge that there was no proper check of construction accounts kept in the railway department, Mr. Proctor said that an efficient supervision was maintained. Captain Bright had been appointed to watch work done and material used on the line, while Mr. E. J. Rossiter, government accountant in Victoria, had maintained a constant correspondence about the monthly accounts.

Proctor on Rossiter

Mr. Proctor characterized Mr. Rossiter, whose charges against the government brought about the inquiry, as an efficient accountant, who did his work well, but was lacking in diplomacy in his dealings with other officials.

In no single instance, declared Mr. Proctor, had the Northern Construction "put anything over on the government."

As to his personal relations with Mr. Rossiter, the witness admitted that he had been irritated by Rossitter's suspicious attitude, and had used violent language on one occasion. He denied that he had discharged Rossitter.

Mr. Proctor defended the government's contribution to the expenses of the Vancouver office of the Northern Construction Company. It would have cost the government fifty to a hundred per cent more to organize a staff to do the work so done by the construction company.

Mr. Proctor denied that he had ever favored any company in the purchase of supplies. He said that an engineer could not be half contractor and half engineer.

Dealing with the Finnerty charge that there was no justification for the difference between forty cents a lineal foot paid to the Murdoch Company for cribbing and seventeen cents paid to Mr. Finnerty for the same work, Mr. Proctor said the increase was absorbed by the cost of filling and overhead.

Opening cross-examination of Mr. Proctor in the afternoon for the Provincial Party, Mr. D. S. Tait put a series of questions directed to establishing a point frequently stressed by the Provincial Party, that actual costs of the work to the government could not be estimated from the monthly accounts as put in evidence.

The Final Settlement

Mr. Proctor replied that the accounts were not entirely balanced until it came to the final settlement. He had spent three weeks in the preparation of the final estimate of accounts. The final balance was correct. He had kept no record of his computations other than was contained in the final estimate.

"And this was all the government had in front of them?" asked Mr. Tait. "You went to Mr. Oliver and you said, 'Here is the statement. Your railway has cost you $7,340,000,' and they were content with that?"

"That was all," said Mr. Proctor, "and that was enough. You have been trying to poke holes in it; Price-Waterhouse has investigated it, and it stands today unshaken."

Mr. Tait explained that this line of cross-examination was intended to elicit evidence in comparison with that of Mr. G. F. Gyles, manager of the Price-Waterhouse company of auditors, who had testified, according to Mr. Tait, that it would be impossible for anyone to prepare the final statement of accounts from the data of the monthly estimates.

Mr. MacNeill informed the commissioner that he would cross-examine Mr. Proctor at some length next Monday.

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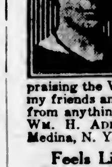

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Winnipeg Counsel for Canadian National Brings Staff of Investigators to Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 21.—Mr. R. S. M. Temple, Winnipeg counsel for the Canadian National Railways, stated that he had with him a staff of investigators to look into the credibility or otherwise of reports regarding alleged rum-running on Canadian Government steamers to California.

"I do not intend to hold a public inquiry," said Mr. Temple, who added that at the same time he invited anyone who had information to give on the subject to come to his office in the Canadian National Building, and a hearing on any subject pertinent to the inquiry would be accorded.

On Wednesday Mr. Temple held a conference with Senator Taylor, of New Westminster, who has a number of affidavits. Today they are meeting again and these matters will be gone into. The basis of inquiry is to ascertain whether there has been a recognized traffic in liquor on these boats, or whether isolated cases have occurred in which only unimportant members of the crews have been involved.

HELP IS OFFERED TO ADA BLACKJACK

SEATTLE, March 21.—Ada Blackjack, who survived the strain of life on Wrangel Island, north of Siberia, when four white men composing the remainder of an expedition led there by Alan Crawford, of Toronto, perished, but who was brought down by tonsolitis in this city, has received an offer of help from Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer.

Mrs. Blackjack said the help would be acceptable, and that by means of it she hoped to return in the Spring to her home at Nome, Alaska.

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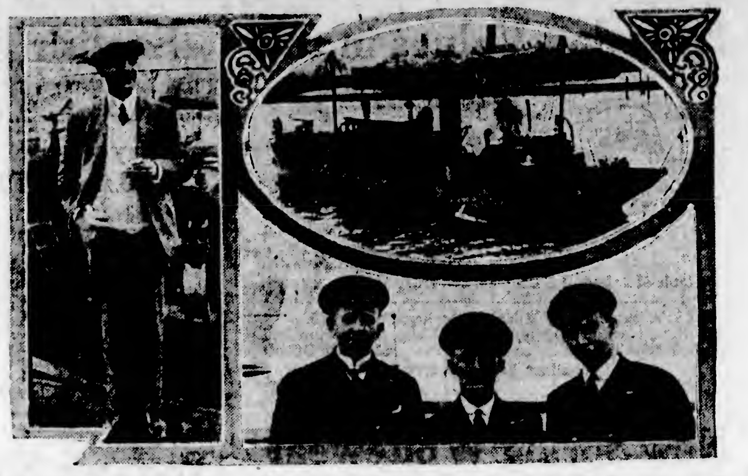
Pathfinders for British Round-the-World Pilots



As the four round-the-world aeroplanes of the United States army are making their initial flights to the applause of the whole American nation, England is silent as to the activities of her competing airmen, and the attention of the Canadian interest in the epochal race is centred on the 6,000 mile voyage of the H.M.C.S. Thiepval to blaze the trail across the Pacific for the Britishers.

While four intrepid American pilots are today receiving the homage of Seattle after the completion of their third jump, in the globe-girdling series, the Thiepval is quietly going about her business of establishing supply depots for the British airmen from the British Columbia coast to Japan, via Alaska, Kamchatka and the Aleutian Islands.

Latest advices from the Thiepval state that she left Cordova on Monday evening for Chignuick Bay on the Kamchatka Peninsula.

Standing alone in the picture above is Colonel L. E. Broome, O.B.E., who is in charge of the Canadian and Pacific portions of the Britishers' flight. In the group below the picture of the Thiepval are the officers in command of the trim little craft. Left to right they are: Lieutenant R. Shipley, Lieutenant W. J. R. Reid and Lieutenant Arthur Pressy.

C.P.R. OFFICIALS GATHER AT QUEBEC

OPTIMISM VOICED AT ANNUAL RAILWAY GATHERING

Pacific Coast Organizations Represented at Convention—Good Summer Season Expected

MONTREAL, March 21.—The fifth annual convention of the Canadian Pacific officers is being held in the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, tonight and tomorrow. More than 150 representatives of Canadian Pacific Western lines, the Kettle Valley Railway, E.D. & B.C. Railway, Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, and B.C. Coast Services, arrived at Windsor Station this morning on a special train, which later proceeded to Quebec. Altogether some six hundred officers are attending the convention, which will be addressed by President E. W. Beatty at dinner tomorrow night. Among those present at the Saturday dinner will be Sir Herbert Holt, W. N. Tilley, K.C., and W. W. Molson, three of the company's directors.

During the short time they were in Montreal this morning, the visiting officers were able to diffuse a decided spirit of optimism as to the prospects in the West for 1924. Geo. Stephen, assistant freight traffic manager of the Western lines, said that there was a more cheerful spirit in the Prairie Provinces at the present time than there had been for many years, and as far as Vancouver was concerned the feeling was particularly optimistic. This was due to the very successful lumbering operations of the past year, the increase of operations being considerable over 1922, and the very heavy grain movement which has contributed to the success and development of that city. Several large American lumber operators had recently acquired large sawmills and timber limits on the B.C. coast. The herring industry, said Mr. Stephens, had just closed a very successful season, some 50,000 tons being shipped.

The grain movement to Vancouver via the Canadian Pacific Railway kept up and averaged 100 cars per day for the past five months.

R. G. McNeillie, general passenger agent at Winnipeg, also stated that a feeling of optimism prevailed. There was a heavy demand for Spring farm labor. The ideal Winter enables the farmers to get on to the land early. "They are as optimistic with regard to the prospect for the year as I have ever seen them," said Mr. McNeillie.

Along the Waterfront

The Admiral-Oriental liner President Jefferson sailed for the Orient from the Ogden Point piers at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She carried a capacity cargo for the Far East.

Word had not been received yesterday as to the disposition of the Danish East Asiatic Company's motorship Kina, which has lost her charter from a Vancouver lumber company.

To Load Lumber

The Norwegian freighter Talabot docked at the Outer Wharves at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon to load 400,000 feet of lumber for the Orient from the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company.

The C.G.M.M. vessel Canadian Farmer docked at the Ogden Point piers at 1 o'clock yesterday morning and unloaded fifty tons of freight from California ports before sailing for Vancouver at 4:30 o'clock.

H. F. Alexander, president of the Pacific Steamship Co., has been re-elected vice-president of the National Merchant Marine Association and also a member of the executive council of the organization.

Edgar McKee has been removed from the presidency of Los Angeles Harbor Commission by Mayor Cryer in connection with an investigation into charges of maladministration of office. C. J. Colden, commissioner, was appointed president of the Board, and Walter B. Allen selected as commissioner.

Expensive Scheme

Voters of Georgia are to be asked at an election on an amendment to the State constitution to vote an appropriation not exceeding $15,000,000 for establishment on the Georgia seacoast of a state-owned and operated port development project and to designate what city is to be selected for the location of the piers, terminals, grain elevators, warehouses, cold storage establishments and other extensive facilities required.

Powered with new engines, the big wooden motorship Oregon, of the Independent Steamship Company, will leave the Houghton plant of the Lake Washington shipyards near the end of the month, adding another carrier to the Seattle fleets. She will be placed in operation between Seattle and Southeastern Alaska in connection with the northbound and southbound cargo movements of the Alaska Consolidated Canneries of Seattle.

Smaller Profits

At the half-yearly meeting of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha held at Osaka January 28, the president stated that gross earnings during the latter half of 1923 amounted to yen 25,600,000, letting net profits of yen 4,800,000, a decrease of yen 200,000, as compared with the previous period. Japanese shipping, said the chairman, showed activity on account of the transport of reconstruction materials, but this is expected to be only short-lived. Vessels purchased abroad by Japanese owners last year amounted to 400,000 tons, which will augment the surplus tonnage. Therefore, no appreciable improvement could be anticipated in the near future.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

TIDES AT VICTORIA
MARCH

Day	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1			10:04	6.7	12:16	2.3		
2	2:20	8.1	8:22	7.2	11:12	2.9	19:02	2.3
3	4:14	8.0	7:23	7.4	12:15	2.4	12:48	2.3
4	4:20	7.2	2:17	8.8	13:14	6.2	20:21	2.6
5	2:48	7.3	3:03	8.1	14:08	7.8	21:12	3.1
6	4:02	7.9	3:47	6.6	14:29	7.6	21:20	3.7
7	4:22	8.0	10:32	6.6	18:52	7.3	22:37	4.2
8	4:42	8.1	11:26	4.6	16:56	7.2	23:02	4.6
9	3:20	8.1	12:12	4.2	15:12	2.2	23:21	2.2
10	5:62	8.1	13:22	4.1	12:43	6.2		
11	2:04	8.2	6:12	6.0	14:06	6.2		
12			6:36	7.2	12:00	3.7		
13			3:36	7.2	12:21	3.2		
14			6:26	7.2	16:16	3.3		
15			7:21	7.6	17:67	3.2		
16	3:34	7.7	3:42	7.6	7:26	7.7	12:12	3.8
17	2:26	7.6	2:12	7.4	11:02	7.6	12:56	3.8
18	2:36	7.2	7:32	2.2	13:12	7.3	13:26	3.7
19	2:46	7.2	2:11	6.1	16:12	7.7	26:21	3.3
20	3:02	7.6	2:30	6.4	14:12	7.6	21:61	3.1
21	3:23	7.2	9:26	4.2	12:16	7.7	21:29	3.7
22	2:45	2.0	14:26	2.6	16:15	7.2	62:12	4.2
23	4:15	8.2	16:22	3.2	17:17	7.2	62:24	5.6
24	4:42	8.3	11:44	2.5	18:52	7.1	23:25	5.2
25	5:14	8.2	12:42	2.6	20:06	7.0		
26	0:20	2.5	5:11	2.4	13:42	2.2	24:22	7.1
27	1:12	7.1	2:11	2.2	14:42	2.2		
28	0:20	7.5	2:21	7.4	6:23	2.1	12:20	2.3
29	1:40	7.7	6:02	7.2	6:42	7.8	16:42	2.6
30	2:16	7.6	2:44	7.2	2:67	7.2	17:44	2.6
31	2:44	7.7	7:10	2.8	11:22	7.2	16:32	2.2

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MARCH

Time of Sunrise and Sunset Pacific Standard Time, at Victoria, B. C., for the month of March, 1924.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:55	5:57	17	6:22	6:20
2	6:52	5:58	18	6:24	6:21
3	6:51	6:00	19	6:12	6:22
4	6:49	6:01	20	6:16	6:24
5	6:47	6:02	21	6:14	6:25
6	6:42	6:05	22	6:12	6:27
7	6:43	6:07	23	6:10	6:29
8	6:41	6:08	24	6:08	6:31
9	6:39	6:11	25	6:06	6:32
10	6:37	6:13	26	6:04	6:34
11	6:36	6:14	27	6:02	6:35
12	6:32	6:15	28	6:00	6:36
13	6:31	6:16	29	5:59	6:37
14	6:29	6:17	30	5:57	6:38
15	6:27	6:18	31	5:55	6:39
16	6:22	6:19			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B. C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
MARCH, 1924
China and Japan

Empress of Russia—Mails close March 6, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 17; Shanghai, March 21; Hong Kong, March 24.

President Jackson—Mails close March 9, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 21; Shanghai, March 20; Hong Kong, March 26.

Alabama Maru—Mails close March 10, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 26; Shanghai, April 5; Hong Kong, April 8.

Tyndareus—Mails close March 13, 9 a.m. Due at Yokohama March 27; Hong Kong, April 9.

Empress of Australia—Mails close March 26, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 2, Shanghai, April 7; Hong Kong, April 10.

President Jefferson—Mails close March 21, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 2; Shanghai, April 7; Hong Kong, April 11.

President Grant—Mails close April 3, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 14; Shanghai, April 18; Hong Kong, April 22.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma (Australia only)—Mails close March 1, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Sydney, March 25.

Makura—Mails close March 3, 3 a.m. Direct. Due Auckland, March 23.

Tahiti—Mails close March 22, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Wellington, April 14.

Honolulu

Via San Francisco, March 1, 2, 3, 8, 12, 13, 23, 30, 4 p.m.

Via San Pedro, March 4, 4 p.m.

Via Seattle, March 3, 4 p.m.

Direct, March 6, 3 a.m.

BIG CONVENTION ON WAY TO CITY

GREAT WEST LIFE PARTY DEPARTS FROM WINNIPEG

Will be Joined at Moose Jaw by Additional Delegates From American Points

WINNIPEG, March 21.—A party of 125 delegates to the Great West Life convention to be held at the Empress Hotel, Victoria, next week, will leave Winnipeg tonight on the Canadian Pacific Imperial Limited. At Moose Jaw the party will be joined by additional delegates from the Northern States, and will travel on a special train of nine cars.

Passengers traveling on the Canadian Pacific Imperial Limited leaving Winnipeg Sunday night will be entertained by "Santrey's Cameo Record Orchestra" of seventeen pieces during the three days' trip to the Pacific Coast, it was learned at the general offices of the company this morning. Santrey's band has made a decided hit with Winnipeg audiences during a week's engagement at the Orpheum Theatre.

Approximately four hundred passengers from the C. P. SS. Montclare, due at St. John on March 23, will arrive in Winnipeg on March 27, it was announced in the passenger department, Canadian Pacific Railway, this morning. From Winnipeg they will be distributed to various points in the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia. Thirteen passengers from the Athenia are due in Winnipeg on March 28 over Canadian Pacific lines.

ASSISTS RIVALS TO PREPARE FOR FLIGHT

H.M.C.S. Thiepval Alters Course to Aid Lieut. Bissel of American Advance Party for World Flight

Though rival participants in the what has been described as the greatest race in history the American and British parties engaged in the competition for the honor of being the first to fly around the world are continuing the interchange of courtesies begun at Washington, D.C., recently, when Colonel Broome, now directing the activities of the H.M.C.S. Thiepval, "swapped" the British plans for the data gathered by the United States Army to promote their flight.

On Wednesday the Thiepval turned from her course in far northern waters and called at Uyak Bay, Kodiak Island to pick up Lieutenant Clayton Bissel, of the American advance party, and help him on his way to the next point selected for a supply depot for the four American machines which are scheduled to leave Seattle on Monday to continue their flight.

Despite the close proximity of icebergs, the accustomed low temperatures, and the generous downfalls of snow, all hands on the Thiepval are reported to be well and keenly enjoying their adventure. It is not known whether Colonel Broome has yet attained his ambition of bagging a specimen of the famous Kodiak Island bear.

Shipping Calendar

To Arrive

President Grant, from Orient, Mar. 23.
Tokiwa Maru, from Orient, Mar. 25.
Dictator, from United Kingdom, Mar. 26.
Empress of Asia, from Orient, Mar. 31.
Hawaii Maru, from Orient, Apr. 11.

To Sail

Hakata Maru, for Orient, Mar. 24.
Arizona Maru, for Orient, Mar. 30.
Hawaii Maru, for Orient, Apr. 22.

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VANCOUVER—At 2:15 p.m. and 11:45 p.m. daily.
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ALASKA ROUTE—From Vancouver, March 15th, 26th, at 9 p.m.
OCEAN FALLS-PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE—Temporarily discontinued.
POWELL RIVER-UNION BAY-COMOX ROUTE—From Vancouver every Tuesday and Saturday, at 11:45 p.m.
UNION BAY-COMOX-POWELL RIVER—From Vancouver every Thursday at 8:30 a.m.
WEST COAST VANCOUVER ISLAND ROUTE—From Victoria 1st, 10th, 20th each month at 11:00 p.m.
GULF ISLANDS ROUTE—SS. Otter leaves Belleville St. Wharf every Monday at 7:15 a.m., and every Wednesday at 8:00 a.m. SS. Charmer leaves Victoria at 12 noon every Tuesday, calling at Port Washington, Ganges and Mayne Island.

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SETTLE CANADA'S DEBT WITH BRITAIN

DOMINION TO RECEIVE $8,000,000 IN FULL OF ACCOUNT

Sixty-Two Million Dollars of Claims Settled by Mother Country Assuming Obligations Contracted

LONDON, March 21.—Canada will receive from the British Treasury next week the sum of $8,000,000 in final settlement of war accounts between the two Governments. The British Treasury is returning to Canada at the same time the $67,000,000 of Canadian bonds which were received in the early days of the war as a loan but were never marketed, the securities being used merely as collateral.

Statement From Ottawa

OTTAWA, March 21.—Practically all of Britain's indebtedness to Canada on war account will be wiped out with the receipt of $8,000,000 to be paid out of the British Treasury next week. Some $62,000,000 was paid by process of adjustments between the two countries during the post-war years, chiefly by Britain's handling for Canada certain overseas commitments.

The Department of Finance said tonight that all items in Britain's war debt to Canada, so far ascertained and established, were included in the settlement which will be concluded with the $8,000,000 payment.

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"	8:40 "	Burnside Road	"	4:51 "
"	8:42 "	Blackwood	"	4:48 "
"	8:47 "	Parson's Bridge	"	4:40 "
"	8:53 "	Colwood Hotel	"	4:35 "
"	8:57 "	Colwood Village	"	4:33 "
"	9:03 "	Glen Lake	"	4:27 "
"	9:06 "	Happy Valley	"	4:21 "
"	9:08 "	Highway Crossing	"	4:19 "
"	9:16 "	Metchosin	"	4:14 "
"	9:25 "	Rocky Point	"	4:05 "
"	9:36 "	Hutchison Cove	"	3:53 "
"	9:45 "	Sasecnos	"	3:45 "
"	9:51 "	Milne's Landing	"	3:39 "
"	10:15 "	Leechtown	"	3:15 "
"	10:21 "	Sooke Lake	"	3:00 "
"	10:51 "	Shawnigan Beach	"	2:39 "
"	11:03 "	Napier Lumber Co.	"	2:26 "
"	11:08 "	Colpman Lumber Co.	"	2:21 "
"	11:12 "	Lakeshaw	"	2:18 "
"	11:19 "	National Mills, Ltd.	"	2:12 "
"	11:24 "	Deerholme	"	2:06 "
"	11:27 "	Deerholme Lumber Co.	"	2:03 "
"	11:42 "	Camecot	"	1:48 "
"	11:47 "	Scottish Logging Co.	"	1:43 "
Ar.	12:15 p.m.	Channel Logg. Co.	Lv.	1:15 "

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Women's Spring Coats

Favorite Models at Popular Prices

Polo Cloth Coats, three-quarter length, with convertible collar, loose back and patch pockets. They are half lined and trimmed on collar, cuffs and pockets with cable stitching; one-button effect, and shades of sand, grey and buff. Sizes 16, 18 and 32. Priced at **$16.75**

Coats of Striped Polo Cloth, made in long lines, with side-tie effect. They have gathered collar and are half lined. Very smart coats and big value. Also Velour Coats, smartly trimmed with embroidery and fancy cable stitching; fawn shade. Each **$19.75**

Full Length Polo Cloth Coats, shades fawn, grey, reindeer, blue and sand. Three-quarter-length coats with flare back, or full length in straight lines. They are finished with fancy stitching, leather trimming and fully lined; one-button fastening. Sizes 16 to 42 ..... **$22.50**

Coats of Velour and Polo Cloth, plain or striped patterns; three-quarter and full length, and fully lined. Some are finished with fancy stitching, others smartly trimmed with leather. The shades are sand, reindeer, brown or taupe. Sizes 16 to 42. Price **$25.00**

Summer Weight Coats of Bolivia Cloth, full length, wrap-around and one-button styles. They have convertible collars, and trimmed with embroidery or cable stitching; fully silk lined; shades are black, grey, mouse, brown. Sizes 16 to 42. Price **$37.50**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Children's Spring Coats

New Styles, Good Values

Coats of Velour and Duvetyn, fastened at side with large button, or side tie belt. The collar, cuffs and bottom of coat are trimmed with silk stitching, and some are finished with patch pockets and belt. Shades are fawn, brown, light blue; suitable for the ages of 4 to 14 years. Prices range from **$6.75** to **$18.50**

All-Wool Serge Reefers, with two pockets and trimmed with brass buttons. Very neat, and big value. For the ages of 2 to 10 years ..... **$7.95** to **$18.50**

Polo Cloth Coats for small boys. These are made with inverted pleat from yoke at back, and finished with belt and patch pockets. For the ages of 2 to 6 years **$10.95**

—1st Floor

Luncheon, 50c

Puree of Green Peas and Rice
Consomme Brunoise
Eastern Oyster Patties
Broiled Cod Steak, Maitre d'Hotel
Fillet Mignon-Rossine
Braised Mutton with Green Peas
Roast Stuffed Turkey and Giblet Sauce
Cauliflower au Gratin
Roast, Brown or Mashed Potatoes
Fruit Salad—Queen Pudding
Apple Pie and Cheese—Hot Mince Pie
Rolls and Butter
Tea—Coffee—Milk

—3rd Floor

WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Excellent Values Today

Women's Ribbed Silk Lisle Hose, of fine silky appearance, seamless, wide hem, and shown in shades of brown, fawn, black, white, mouse and light grey. Special at, a pair **$1.00**

Women's Fine Silk Hose, with novelty lace clox. Shades white, black, camel, beige, brown, polo and new grey. Pair ..... **59¢**

Women's Novelty Stripe Silk Hose, with reinforced heel and toe. Black, brown, camel, new grey and white. Special, a pair **$1.25**

Women's Light Lisle Hose of excellent grade. Made with wide garter hem, high spliced heels and strongly reinforced toes. Black, brown, polo, grey and white. A pair ..... **50¢**

Women's Ribbed Top Lisle Hose, with double thread soles and spliced toes and heels. Brown, black, grebe and white. Pair ..... **75¢**

Women's Sheer Finished Hose of lustrous artificial silk with lisle garter hem. Shades are black, white, brown, camel, polo, grey and beige. A pair ..... **69¢**

Women's Plain and Fancy Glove Silk Hose, full fashioned, with pointed heels and wide top. Shades are brown, black, beige, grey and white. Pair, **$3.75**

Women's Black Chiffon Hose, with double garter hem and reinforced feet. A pair **$2.25**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

English Made Silk and Wool Jumpers, $3.95 and $5.50

Long Over-Blouse Jumpers of silk and wool, with three-quarter sleeves and V-neck. They are trimmed with crochet edging around neck and sleeves and finished at waist with cord and tassel. Special value, each **$3.95**

Silk Jumpers, with round neck and long sleeves. They are finished with crochet edging and have silk cord and tassel at waist. Shown in two-tone effect; mauve and white, navy and grey, turquoise and silver, fawn and brown, black and white, Oriental and tan. Special value at **$5.50**

—Blouses, 1st Floor

100 Pairs Infants' Rubber Pants, 28c

An extra special offering of Infants' Rubber Jiffy Pants, including those with ventilated top. They are shown in white, pink and champagne; small, medium and large sizes. Regular 35c. On sale at ..... **28¢**

—Infants', 1st Floor

Bon-Ton Corsets for $5.50

Back Laced Bon-Ton Corsets, with elastic top, wide elastic inset over hips. They are boned with unbreakable boning, laced below front clasp with elastic lacing, and have six hose supporters. They are made of imported pink coutil, have free hip, and suitable for the tall figure. Very special value at **$5.50**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Drug Sundries and Toilet Articles

TODAY'S SPECIALS

Vinolia Plantol Soap, a high-class pleasantly perfumed toilet soap. Today only, **6** tablets for ..... **50¢** and One Tablet Free.

Nail Preparations—Assortment of Manicuring Articles, values to 35c. Your choice at ..... **15¢**

Whalebone Hair Brushes, best English make; $1.25 values ..... **85¢**
$2.50 values **$1.85**

Whisks, a new assortment, well made; useful sizes, up from ..... **30¢**

Auto Sponges. A special buy. Large sponges of lasting quality. Each ..... **75¢**

Cocoanut Oil Shampoo—Emulsified Cocoanut Oil Shampoos, 50c bottles at, each ..... **25¢**

Scott's Emulsion, $1.30 size for ..... **84¢**
65c size for ..... **42¢**

Epsom Salts, finest recrystallized English Epsom Salts specially purified; 25c packets, **2** for ..... **25¢**

Violet Toilet Water, for after shaving, etc.; $1.25 bottles ..... **85¢**

—Main Floor

Saturday Values in the Millinery Department

A special showing of the trimmed models, in the favorite shades, plain and fancy straws, alo mohair and straw cloth, with floral, embroidered and ribbon trims. Special value, each **$7.50**

One table of Trimmed Hats, plain and fancy straws. Special, each **$3.95**

Children's Hats in plain Milan, white, navy, black, red, navy and white, black and white, with small and droop brims and off-the-face rolls, from ..... **$1.50** to **$6.50**

Excellent Everyday Hats.

—Millinery, 1st Floor

New Spring Whitewear Just Arrived

Special Values

Envelope Chemises of White Cambric, shirred across top and waist, trimmed with embroidery and threaded with ribbon. Shades are pink and blue. Envelope Chemises of Pink Mull, stitched with blue and finished with lace edging. Special value **$1.25**

Gowns of White Cotton, with long sleeves and "V" neck, and trimmed with embroidery. Others in slip-over styles with embroidered or colored yokes. Very dainty, and special value at **$1.25**

Princess Slips, trimmed with lace; others with shoulder straps of torchon lace, finished with tucked frill of lace and insertion. Big value at **$1.25**

Bloomers of Excellent Grade Sateen, with single elastic at waist and knee; shown in a good assortment of colors. Others of striped satinette, with double elastic at knee. Very neat, and special value at ..... **$1.00** to **$1.50**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Boys' Furnishings

On Sale Today

Boys' Flannelette Nightshirts, patterned in assorted fancy stripes and made with collar and pocket. Sizes for 16 and 18 years. Special value, each ..... **98¢**

Boys' All-Wool Worsted Jerseys, button shoulder and pull-over style. Some are in plain colors, some with stripe collar, some with breast stripe. Sizes 26 to 32. Values to $2.60 for **$1.95**

Boys' Combinations, natural and cream elastic rib, Tiger and Atlantic brand. Size 22 only. Suitable for small boys. They have long sleeves and ankle length. Values to $1.25. On sale, a suit ..... **69¢**

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Boys' Butcher Blue Shirt Waists, made with turndown or open sports collar, pocket and deep band cuffs; fast color, hard wearing. All sizes. On sale, each **$1.25**

Boys' Sport Belts, with adjustable snake fastener; can be made any size. Shown in club stripes and plain colors. Special, each ..... **50¢**

—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Fur Felt Hats

A Saturday Special at

$3.50

Again we are offering you big value for your money in these stylish fur felt hats. There are several styles to select from and the shades are cedar, pearl with black band, light and dark steel, brown and navy. All excellent dyes. Hats with welted, bound or raw edges, and some with extra wide brims. Sizes range from 6 5-8 to 7 5-8. Special, each, **$3.50**

—Hats, Main Floor

Two Big Saturday Values

Men's and Young Men's Suits

$20.00 and $30.00

Men's Tweed or Blue Serge Suits of excellent grade cloths, and modeled in the newest styles for Spring and Summer. The tweeds are shown in shades of brown, grey, lovat, stripes and fancy tweeds. All are well finished and trimmed, and are superior values at **$20.00**

For $30.00 you are offered suits of a higher grade, including one-button sports model and the favorite two-button model. These are made from guaranteed English cloths that will wear well and ensure you of a suit that will keep it shapeliness after months of wear. The shades are popular, and the price, $30.00 makes every suit a bargain.

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Boys' Suits at $10.00

Boys' Suits of English Tweed—These have straight knee pants, are neat in model and shown in greys, herringbones and fancy patterns. The sizes are 26 to 34. Remarkable value at **$10.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

English Broadcloth BLOUSES

Very Stylish

$4.50 to $6.75

Blouses made of English Broadcloth, a material exceedingly popular this Spring. It is of smooth finish with a silk lustre. The Blouses are attractively made, with Peter Pan collar or in tailored styles, tuck-in or over-blouse. They have long sleeves with button cuffs, are finished at bottom with band, and black bow of ribbon at neck. Excellent value ..... **$4.50** to **$6.75**

—Blouses, 1st Floor

Today's Shoe Leaders

For Women and Girls

Women's Crepe Sole Brogues of brown calf **$6.00**

Women' Grey Suede Pumps in new cut-out effects. An extremely pretty model at **$7.00**

Women's and Growing Girls' Black Satin Strap Pumps, with low heels. A pair **$3.90**

Women's Sports Oxfords, in two-tone effects, marked down from $9.00 and $10.00 to ensure a clearance at **$4.95**

Women's and Growing Girls' Oxfords of black and brown calf, with low heels. Regular $4.00 values. Today's Special **$2.95**

Hewetson's Play Boots for girls, in brown elk and black calf; wide extension soles and rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 10½. A pair **$2.95**

Girls' Strap Pumps of black and brown kid; stout, durable shoes. Sizes 11 to 1. A pair **$1.95**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Today's Shoe Leaders

For Men and Boys

Men's New Spring Boots and Oxfords, $5.00 and $6.00

This year we are making a big feature of shoes at these popular prices, and have succeeded in securing some wonderful values.

Brown and Black Boots, with double and single soles, on all lasts. Stylish boots for young men and more conservative models. Smart Oxfords and Brogues, black or brown; all shapes. Very special value at ..... **$5.00** and **$6.00**

Williams' Boys' Solid Leather Box Calf Boots. Sizes up to 5½. Values $3.35 and $3.75. Offered today at **$2.95**

Boys' Crepe Sole Boots, in brown calf, at **$6.00**

Men's Crepe Sole Brogues, of brown calf, at **$7.00**

Men's Lace Boots of brown calf and black kid. They have Goodyear welted soles and, are greatly reduced for today. A pair **$3.95**

—Men's Boots, Main Floor

Men's Furnishings

At Special Prices

Men's Fine Cotton Socks, with reinforced heels and toes; black, brown, grey; all sizes, **3** pairs for ..... **50¢**

Men's White Doeskin Gloves, black stitched, hand sewn, British made; one button fastening; sizes 7½ to 8. Regular $2.00 value for **$1.29**

Men's Heavy Stripe Canvas Gardening Gloves, with tight knit wrist. On sale, a pair ..... **25¢**

Men's Canvas Gardening Gloves, with elastic wrist; small sizes for women ..... **3** pairs for **50¢**

Men's Leather or Black Elastic Belts, with adjustable or tongue buckles. Samples that are regular 75c to $1.00 value on sale for ..... **39¢**

Men's Rubber Belts, with adjustable nickel buckle; can be made any size; grey, brown or black. Special, each ..... **25¢**

Men's Police or Elastic Web Braces, with leather or kid ends. Special, a pair ..... **50¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

BOYS' CAPS

On Sale for $1.25

Boys' Polo Cloth Caps, in plain brown and fawn; made with pleated back and unbreakable peak. A new shipment; all sizes 6 3-8 to 7. On sale while they last **$1.25**

—Main Floor

Men's Handkerchiefs

Two Special Values

Men's Fine Grade White Linen Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched borders; 18 x 18 inch. Regular value 35c each. On sale at ..... **25¢**

Men's White Cambric Handkerchiefs, excellent grade and special value. Two for ..... **25¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor